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Sunset — A view looking west from the Tri-City Port District offers this view of the setting sun. (Staff photo by KYLE HESTER)

Flood of 93: unprecedented

ALTON — The great flood of 1993 was unprecedented, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers says in a report that assesses the damage and future measures to control it.

The corps held one of several public meetings on its draft Floodplain Management Assessment at the Holiday Inn earlier this month. The report, which the corps emphasizes is a draft only, does not make any recommendations to Congress. The study covers seven states and parts of two others.

The study was done using a mathematical computer model. A final report is due in June. At one point, answering a question, a corps official said 1,104 structures were being bought out in Illinois, alone, by the Federal Emergency Management Agency. More than 2,000 are being bought in Missouri.

Among its more significant findings, the corps pointed out that floods are a natural and recurring phenomenon, and the risk of flooding can never be totally eliminated.

However, the study came to several conclusions about the 1993 flood:

- Corps reservoirs performed well, reducing flood peaks by several feet in most locations. Structural flood protection (urban levees and floodwalls) protected large urban centers.
- The total damages prevented by reservoirs and levees is estimated at \$11 billion and \$8 billion respectively.
- About 80 percent of the 1993 flood damages (See FLOOD, Page 11A)

Deadline approaching for WOA lunch tickets

There is still time to make reservations for the 1995 Women of Achievement luncheon. The 10 Women of Achievement will be honored at a noon luncheon on May 10 at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in Clayton.

The Suburban Journals and radio station KMOX-AM (1120) sponsor this annual event which recognizes the outstanding women who have contributed to the strength and welfare of the St. Louis metropolitan community.

Reservations for the luncheon tickets, which are \$20 per person, may be ordered by sending a check to: Women of Achievement, Suburban Journals, P.O. Box 411274, St. Louis, Mo., 63141. Deadline for reservations is May 1. Seating will be at tables of 10. For those wishing to sit together, reservations and payment for the group should be made at the same time. Those attending on behalf of a particular honoree should include the honoree's name.

The 1995 Women of Achievement join 391 other outstanding women who have been honored since the program was started by the St. Louis Globe-Democrat in 1955.

This year's honorees are: Elsie Shemin-Roth, humanitarian concerns; Dr. Linda A. Fisher, health; Caro S. Schneithorst, community service; Peggy L. LeCompte, social responsibility; Nancy Freund Kallishman, youth and family; Marjorie K. Smith, education; Dolores B. Malcolm, literacy; Gloria W. White, community betterment; Eileen C. Fraunfelder, volunteer service; and Blanche M. Touhill, civic responsibility.

Bargiel to retire as Madison chief

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

In his time with the Madison Police Department, Chief Paul Bargiel has seen the town go from a wide-open town full of all-night taverns to a much quieter bedroom community.

After 25 years with the department, Bargiel has decided to retire. Bargiel said Monday that he would formally announce his retirement at Tuesday's City Council meeting.

His resignation will be effective May 7.

"The next day, he will start a new job with the security department at Granite City Steel."

"The job offer was made, and it was too lucrative to turn down," Bargiel said Monday. "I've enjoyed it and I'm going to miss it, but I have to look at my family's future."

"It's been a rewarding career," he said. "But there is a lot of sadness."



Paul Bargiel

"You see what people do to each other for no good reason," he added.

Bargiel started his law enforcement career with the Madison County Sheriff's Department, where he worked from

January 1966 to March 1970.

He then joined the Madison Police Department, working up to lieutenant before being appointed chief in January 1994.

He has also worked as an investigator and supervisor for the Major Case Squad of Greater St. Louis, and the Madison County Metro-Squad.

Bargiel has also served as a member of the Madison School Board and the Madison County Housing Authority board of commissioners.

In his 25 years at the Madison police department, Bargiel said the city has changed drastically.

"When I first started this was a town of all-night taverns, prostitution and gambling," he said.

"We averaged a homicide a month, just in the bars alone."

He said the city has become more of a bedroom community, although it still has crime problems — mostly drug related.

"My only regret is we have three unsolved homicides in the past 25 years," he said.

Taking a chance

Highway plan won't deter developer

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

A proposed change in the route of Illinois 3 would "seriously" impact plans for a development in the Venice Tax Increment Financing District someday, but the proposal is so far in the future the developer is not worrying about it.

At last week's council meeting, Torry Siekmann, location studies engineer for the Illinois Department of Transportation, said the most likely route change to Illinois 3 would go through part of Country View Estates Apartments.

It is a \$2.5 million apartment complex for handicapped and elderly residents planned for the city's TIF district. At a recent meeting, the city council approved a tax rebate and zoning changes to make the project more feasible.

"We have looked at the other alignments that would completely miss the development, but they could not be justified."

— Tom Siekmann
IDOT official

The proposed route change would go through a planned restaurant and eliminate some parking for the development.

The change, known as the C-7 route, is part of a \$75 million improvement to Illinois 3 from Venice to Sauge. The plan is in the early stages of development, and would not be completed for at least 15-20 years, officials say.

The C-7 realignment would be a partially controlled-access, four-lane highway with an intersection at Broadway and Second Street.

Siekmann said IDOT had

looked at several other route possibilities, known as D-1, D-2 and D-3, but said they could probably not be approved because of significant cost increase and environmental impact problems.

"We have looked at the other alignments that would completely miss the development, but they could not be justified," he said. "We don't feel we can propose either of these to the Federal Highway Administration."

Siekmann said that because

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Rod Zimmerman this year's Old Newsboys Day chairman

By Terry Edelmann
Staff writer

Rod Zimmerman, vice president and general manager of radio station KMOX-AM (1120), will serve as this year's chairman of the Suburban Journals annual Old Newsboys Day fund-raiser for children's charities.

And he'll bring along some friends. Zimmerman said he'll bring the full resources of KMOX Radio to the Old Newsboys Day event, and he's encouraging other companies to turn out in force also.

Specifically, Zimmerman said KMOX personalities will be selling the special Old Newsboys Day edition of the Suburban Journals on a celebrity corner. He plans to revive the tradition of having broadcast cut-ins for live interviews with the KMOX personalities who are hawk the papers for charity.

But if one tradition is revived this year, another one will be changed.

Volunteers who sell copies of

the special Old Newsboys Day edition likely will be doing it under beautiful, fall skies. This year's Old Newsboys Day is Oct. 19, not in mid-November as has been the custom.

Suburban Journals president Don Miller said the change means volunteers won't have to worry about sleet and snow or bone-chilling cold. Their full attention can be directed toward raising money for children's charities, not warding off the wintry weather.

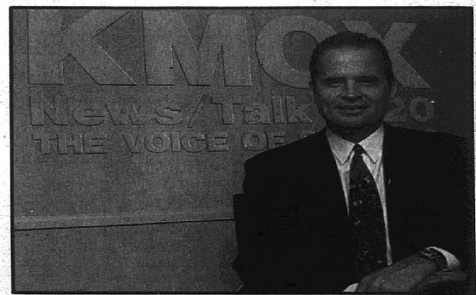
And raising money for children's charities is what the day is all about anyway.

Since the campaign began, under the auspices of the former St. Louis Globe-Democrat in 1957, more than \$5.5 million has been raised. All of it has gone to local children's charities.

Last year alone, under the chairmanship of Craig Schnuck, Old Newsboys Day volunteers collected \$180,000 for more than 250 charities.

Miller said Schnuck's efforts, including having the Old Newsboys editions available for

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Rod Zimmerman of KMOX-AM will bring the full resources of the radio station to Old Newsboys Day.

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Boy saves life of great-grandmother

Granite City Fire Chief Keith Talley presents five-year-old Christopher Harper with a certificate of heroism.



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Six in running for Madison schools post

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

The Madison School Board has narrowed its list for a new superintendent to a half-dozen candidates.

At Thursday's meeting, the board met in executive session to discuss candidates for the job. About 20 people had applied for the post, which will be vacated by Superintendent Ken Miller June 30.

Miller said the board has narrowed its search to six candidates. He said they were trying to schedule interviews for the first week in May.

"Our hope is to hire somebody at the May 18 meeting," Miller said.

He declined to release the names of the six finalists, but said all were from Illinois.

The board also approved a financial plan for the coming school year.

Because the Madison School District is on the state's financial watch list, it is required to file the annual plan.

"It would appear that we will

stay in the black for the next two years," Miller said.

The district should have a \$100,000 surplus in the four main funds at the end of the 1995-1996 year, he said later.

Because the district is also expected to end the current year in the black, it may be able to come off the watch list during the 1996-1997 year.

"Barring disaster, I don't think you'll be wealthy, but I think you're going to be holding your own," Miller told the board.

The board took action on several other matters.

It rehired six first-year high school and middle school teachers laid off at the last meeting.

Miller said the board will have to wait until next year's state and federal funding picture becomes clearer to rehire the elementary school teachers.

The board also approved making Friday, May 26, the last day of class.

Miller said this was because the district only used one emergency day during the winter.

Bill sets fire under limits on burning

SPRINGFIELD — Madison County communities would face a Jan. 1, 1997, deadline for restricting leaf burning under a bill that advanced to the full Illinois Senate on Thursday.

Godfrey resident Brad Beck was one of the principal lobbyists for the bill, which cleared the Senate Environment and Energy Committee.

It would require municipalities or county boards to restrict the burning of leaves and other landscape waste within guidelines to be developed by the state Pollution Control Board.

The bill includes a \$50 fine for a first violation, a \$100 fine for a second violation and \$500 for subsequent violations.

Beck said Gov. Jim Edgar has agreed to sign the bill and that Edgar's office was involved in the negotiations. Beck said he spent several days in Springfield lobbying for the legislation while working a midnight shift at his job.

"I'm excited that we've got something that I'll be able to watch the governor sign very soon," he added.

Two years ago Edgar vetoed a bill that would have banned leaf burning within incorporated communities within counties of 100,000 or more. He said the state Pollution Control Board should be involved and it made no sense to randomly exclude unincorporated areas.

The new bill would provide for county boards to have authority

for unincorporated areas within metropolitan areas of 100,000 population or more.

Beck said those concerned about the health impact of smoke and toxic chemicals released from leaf burning "had to compromise, but this is an important first step."

Under current state law, the Pollution Control Board is barred from adopting regulations restricting leaf burning. The law was passed about 20 years ago after a public uproar over regulations.

Beck, however, said he thinks the public's attitude has changed since then and that there is more awareness of the health hazards.

Beck has filed a complaint under the federal Americans with Disabilities Act against Godfrey and Alton seeking restrictions on leaf burning.

From the Alton Telegraph



Lakeside Airport may become property of the Madison County Transit District if an offer for its purchase is approved.

Transit district makes offer for airport

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

The Madison County Transit District, already in the process of purchasing one area airport, has approved making an offer for another.

At Thursday's meeting, the board approved making a \$450,000 offer for Lakeside Airport, located on Illinois 111 near Horseshoe Lake State Park. The offer is good through May 1.

The airport is also known as Nichols Airfield. Since owner Bill Nichols died in 1989, there have been two unsuccessful efforts by local cities to create an airport taxing district and purchase the airfield.

If the transit district is successful, it will be operating two small airports.

The district is now in the process of purchasing the St. Louis Metro-East Airport near St. Jacob. Transit District Manager Jerry Kane said the price of the airport will be approximately \$3 million.

He said the state authorized transit

districts to get into the airport business two years ago, after efforts by St. Jacob, Marine and Troy to purchase the St. Louis Metro-East Airport failed.

However, Kane said he knows of no other transit district in the state that operates airports.

Both airports will be used as reliever airports for St. Louis Regional Airport in Bethalto and Parks Airport in Cahokia.

The St. Jacob airport has a 4,000-foot asphalt runway, while Lakeside has a single grass runway.

If purchased, Kane said, that runway would also be paved, and additional runways might be put in.

Nichols had plowed up two of the airport's three grass runways.

If the transit district obtains Lakeside, it can obtain federal and state funds to make improvements. The Federal Aviation Administration would provide 90 percent of the cost, with the Illinois Department of Transportation Division of Aeronautics and the Transit Authority each providing five

percent, Kane said.

He said the airports are important because Parks and St. Louis Regional airports are becoming too crowded due to increased commercial and private aircraft use.

The numbers of private planes using the two airports increased dramatically in 1993, when Spirit of St. Louis Airport in Missouri was flooded, he said.

"Parks is at capacity, thanks to Mother Nature," he said.

In addition to economic benefits, Kane said, it was important to preserve the Lakeside's airspace rights, especially with competition from Lambert-St. Louis, St. Louis Regional, and the new commercial airport at Scott Air Force Base.

If the airport would officially close, it would lose these rights and later owners could probably not regain them.

Lakeside Airport was used to train U.S. Navy pilots during World War II.

It is now classified as a restricted landing area, meaning it is not open to the public. At one time more than 100 pilots used the field, but now it is used by less than a dozen.

Destroyed vehicle replaced

By Scott Wuerz
Staff writer

The Madison County Emergency Management Agency got a new vehicle last Wednesday — and with that closed its file on the agency's former administrator, Lanny Darr.

Madison County Board members voted 22-1 to approve the purchase of a four-wheel-drive 1995 Chevrolet Tahoe to replace a van destroyed by Darr May 31, 1994 while he was driving on Homer Adams Parkway in Alton.

Darr was removed as administrator of the organization last winter after it was determined that his blood alcohol level was .22 — more than twice the legal limit — at the time of the accident. He was seriously injured in the accident, and spent nearly two months in a St. Louis hospital.

The accident was the second Darr was involved in while driving a county-owned vehicle in less than a year.

In June 1993 Darr hit another car while driving on State Highway 140 in Bethalto. He was accused of driving under the influence of alcohol in that crash, too, but the case was later dropped because of a lack of evidence.

The low bid of \$23,311.35 came from Roberts Motors in Alton. The only dissenting vote came from Bob Stille (D-Edwardsville), who said he thinks the county should change its policy allowing vehicles to be taken home for the night by employees.

Spring exhibit at history museum

The public is invited to visit the Madison County Historical Museum and Library at 715 N. Main St. in Edwardsville.

Housed in the eight-room Federal style mansion built by Dr. John H. Weir in 1836, the Museum showcases and interprets Madison County, Illinois, history through period furnished rooms, displays of antiques, Indian Native American and pioneer artifacts, and a research library archives.

Museum hours are: Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.; Sundays from 1 to 4 p.m.; (and special openings every first Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m.); closed holidays. For information and group tours call 656-7669. There is no admission charge.

The Museum's spring exhibit, N.O. Nelson and the Village of Leclaire, continues through May 31. The exhibit chronicles the life of Nelson, his manufacturing company, and his 1890 "company" town, Leclaire, which is now part of Edwardsville.

Highlights of the display include original Leclaire photographs; pen and ink drawings of Leclaire buildings by Edwardsville artist Stephen Hughes; and Nelson family keepsakes.

Continuing until late April is the exhibit honoring the late Miss Pauline Meyer titled "Keep Your Face to the Sunshine."

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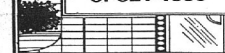
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Balancing budget to be a challenge, Durbin says

GODFREY — The answers won't be easy when Congress takes up the balanced budget debate in May, an Illinois lawmaker has warned.

"It will be a terrible challenge," U.S. Rep. Richard Durbin of Springfield said. Social Security, interest on the \$4.5 trillion national debt and \$200 billion in military spending will not be negotiable, but Medicare and some other popular social programs are what's left, he said.

"Interest on the old debt keeps the budget unbalanced, so it has to be paid. But if we get into cutting what's left by 30 percent, we're getting into the sacred cows," Durbin said.

He said he was a beneficiary of government student loans, which are still a passport to a college education for middle class kids.

The Illinois Democrat spoke earlier this month to about a dozen invited Godfrey residents, including Mayor Lars Hoffman, at a town hall meeting at Benjamin's restaurant on Godfrey Road. He said the gathering could serve as a focus group.

"The debate is going to get very tricky, and we will have to face it when we get back to Washington. I want to know your thoughts and what you have heard or what you think," he said. Hoffman said he does not advocate the status

quo and hopes the Democrats can offer alternatives to Republican budget proposals and House Speaker Newt Gingrich's "Contract With America."

"It deeply troubles me that the Democrats used to be the party with new ideas," he said. Durbin said Democrats want radical change, particularly in the welfare system, but he was reminded by Edwardsville Police Director Bennett Dickmann that people who may be cut from federal programs will become a local problem.

"We have to help people move out of dependency into jobs," Durbin said. "We want to change welfare, but people get confused. They say cut off the money, but if you ask about poor mothers and children, the answer is different."

He called the Republican tax cut a measure that creates \$50 billion in new debt and does nothing for working class Americans.

Durbin said he wants government to trade stupid and expensive regulatory requirements for common sense programs, but he has no easy solution for baby-boomer fears of a shrinking Social Security system that may not be there when they retire.

"Social Security may be something like a down payment on retirement as opposed to retirement, while private pensions are also disappearing."

Americans will also have to think about developing their own resources for disaster aid and crop insurance in the wake of reduced federal responsibility, he said.

The federal government paid 5 percent for disaster aid in the 1950s but put up 95 percent of recovery costs, about \$1 billion, for the Great Flood of '93 in the Midwest.

"People are going to have to grow up. The

federal government won't tell you what to do, but they won't do it for you," Durbin said.

He said he wants to cut foreign defense costs in Japan and Europe, which he said are tough to justify, and that he cannot explain why the government does not get tough on Japanese and Chinese trade deficits.

Durbin agreed that some of the volunteer programs should be supported.

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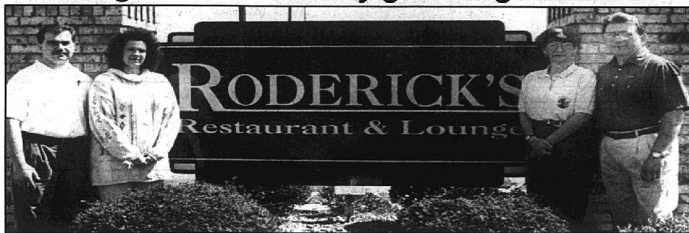
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Left: Jon & Michelle Roderick, Right: Jerry & Colleen Roderick

2082 VADALABENE DR., MARYVILLE
When Tony and Joan Querroll sold Tony's in 1993, it closed the book on their restaurant career but the sale began a new chapter for the Roderick family.

But instead of trying to change the Maryville restaurant's reputation for fine Italian food, the family is working to make an already good thing even better.

One of the most recent changes has been to give the restaurant at 2082 Vadalabene Drive a name that only they can: Roderick's. Roderick's is located one-quarter mile east of Illinois 159.

The restaurant was purchased by Jon and Michelle Roderick in November 1993 as a subsidiary of Jerry's Cafeteria and Catering, Inc.

Jon Roderick, the son of Jerry and Colleen Roderick, owners of Jerry's Cafeteria in downtown Granite City, is

keeping alive the family restaurant tradition.

That tradition was started by Jon Roderick's grandparents, Ollie and Theresa Roderick, who opened Roderick's Tavern in Granite City in 1945.

The "family recipe" fried chicken, available as an all-you-can-eat special on Sundays is one of the many menu additions the Rodericks have made.

Hamburgers are available with a selection of gourmet toppings. Steak, chicken, seafood and a wide variety of homemade pastas are available, meals complemented by soup and salad.

But fine dining doesn't have to be expensive. Daily luncheon specials that include a pasta with salad or soup are just \$5. Pasta dinners start at just \$6.95.

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Roderick's other tempting desserts, all homemade.

There's something for every member of the family with a children's menu to order from. "Senior portions" are also available.

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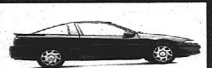
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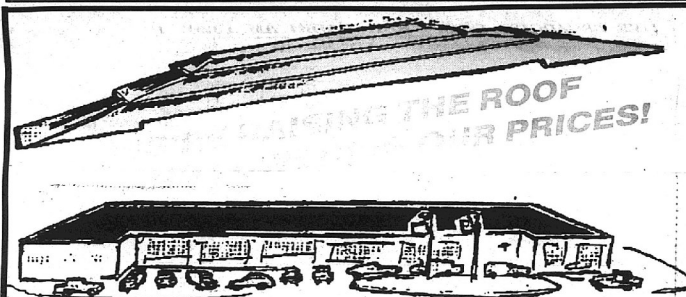
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Parking decals being offered early at SIUE

An early opportunity for employees to purchase parking decals at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville was announced recently by the Office of Vehicle Registration and Fees.

Robert Vanzo, director of administrative services for the Office of the Vice President for Administration, said the plan will be a convenience for continuing faculty and staff, offering employees the opportunity to use a pre-printed form to purchase parking decals by mail rather than standing in line at the vehicle registration office in the Rendleman Building.

Parking decals for the 1995-96 academic year were scheduled to be available beginning April 24 and will be valid beginning Aug. 14. Mail registrations will not be accepted after July 14. Decals must be displayed no later than Aug. 22.

A registration form listing all vehicles currently registered to each employee will be mailed to the employee. The form may be returned

by mail with payment, and the appropriate decal will be mailed to the employee's home address. Vanzo said prices for parking decals have been increased \$10 to improve and maintain parking facilities and provide additional amenities that have been requested by the Parking and Traffic Committee.

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Pat Davis, right, is presented the Sister Mary George Award by Jack Grieves and Tammy Bowles.

Safety idea earns award for nurse

St. Elizabeth Medical Center Associate Health Nurse Pat Davis recently received the first Sister Mary George Award for her safety suggestion.

"I am very honored to receive this award, especially since Sister Mary George and I worked together and were close friends," said Davis. "Safety is everyone's job. I encourage others to contribute suggestions to this program because our associates' suggestions can make

a difference."

The Sister Mary George Award is designed to recognize the contributions made to safety at SEMC by its associates. Suggestions are collected, and, in February, a determination is made of the best safety suggestion implemented the previous year. Suggestions may be anything that relates to the safety and well-being of patients, visitors, medical staff, associates or volunteers.

Davis' suggested repairs to the sidewalk and wheelchair ramp around the Koch Family Health Center.

"We received many very good suggestions," said Tammy Bowles of Activity Therapy, who is chair of the Associate Safety Committee. "As the committee read through the suggestions implemented in 1994, we agreed Pat's suggestion had benefited the most visitors, patients and associates. Some of the suggestions were not able to be implemented in 1994, so I want to assure those associates we will reconsider those next February. I want to encourage all associates to send us their suggestions."

The award is in honor of Sister Mary George Schneider, an associate at SEMC for 37 years. She pioneered the Risk Management Department and was dedicated to the well-being of SEMC associates.

School oversight board named

Harry A. Briggs, Madison County regional superintendent of schools, has announced the names of teachers, administrators and public members who were recently selected to serve on the Madison County Regional Office of Education School Improvement Services Oversight Board.

The oversight board is a new entity created by recent legislation to consolidate and reorganize educational service regions throughout Illinois. The board will be seated on May 1.

There are 13 members who will serve on the Madison County Oversight Board: two are administrators, four are teachers and seven are public members. The administrators are James Burgett, superintendent of the Highland School District, and Ellen Voyles, principal of the Niedringhaus Elementary School, in Granite City.

Teachers who will serve on the board are Edna Alexander of the Alton School District, Mary May from the Edwardsville School District, Nancy Weber from the Granite City School District and Ann Moss from the Collinsville School District.

Members of the public who will serve on the committee and the districts or communities they will represent are: Penny Fay, Alton; Lynn Votoupal, Granite City; Brenda Carlile, Edwardsville; Gerry Lynch, Collinsville; Shelia Sorges, Roxana; East Alton; Bethalto and Wood River; Charles Burcham, Triad; Highland and Livingston; and Michael Vrabec, Venice and Madison.

The oversight board will assist with the planning and delivery of school improvement services to schools in Madison County. These services will be delivered through the Madison County Regional Office of Education.

Briggs will be the chief administrator for these programs and the board will be working with him.

Mayor to host ID seminar

To implement "Operation Straight ID," Granite City Mayor Ron Selph, liquor commissioner, will host a seminar for Granite City liquor license holders to be conducted by the office of the secretary of state on how to spot fraudulent IDs and driver's licenses.

The seminar will take place from 10 a.m. to noon Thursday, April 27, in the Wexman Room of St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

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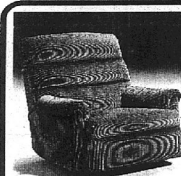
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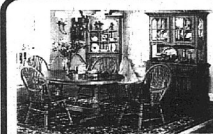


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LOCAL NEWS

Wood-burning plan drawing questions

WOOD RIVER — Concerns about a proposed Polsky Energy Corp. wood-burning energy plant have cropped up in written responses to the Wood River Pollution Control Board.

Polsky needs state and local approval to build and operate an \$80 million wood-to-energy plant planned for the city's Lewis and Clark-Envirotech Business Park. "We don't think they've addressed certain questions, and we want the record complete," said James Bray, environmental manager of Jefferson Smurfit Corp. in Alton. "We are not experts in water wells and regulations, but we wanted to remind them of the law and see if anybody had checked certain things."

In written comments submitted after a Wood River Pollution Control Board hearing in March, Bray questioned Polsky's permit applications and air quality analyses in light of the company's intent to burn shredded tires and paper pellets in addition to waste wood. The Pollution Control Board is expected to make a recommendation to the City Council by May 1 after reviewing the complete record of public comments, closing statements and transcripts of the two-day public hearing. The City Council is expected to forward its decision by May 15 to the Illinois EPA for final action. In his written comments, Bray also questioned the proximity of the plant and a wood storage site to the city's water wells, across Illinois Route 3 from the business park.

Bray said he simply wanted to get the procedures on the record before anything is built to ensure that everything will be done properly. "We think more information is needed," he said.

William Moran of Environmental Risk Limited, a firm hired by Polsky, said in written responses added to the hearing record that Polsky will revise the air permit application to include the use of tires and paper pellets. He defended the company's air quality impact analysis as scientifically valid and in accordance with federal and state Environmental Protection Agency standards.

Moran also indicated the plant was outside the required 2,500-foot setback from the wells. Madison County Environmental Control Committee Chairman Richard Worthen wrote questioning the county's need for the plant given the adequacy of landfill space. Polsky has argued that the

plant is needed to divert waste wood from landfills that could be burned to create electricity for sale to Illinois Power Co.

Worthen, who claimed Illinois Power has excess capacity, questioned the company's ability to fill the plant's estimated wood needs without going outside Madison County. He said the company also lacked a previous operating experience to establish a track record.

Wood River officials have asked Polsky for a hydrogeological investigation to study the plant's impact on city water quality and quantity and possible effects on Olm Corp. water wells also near the site.

The investigation will include a surface water monitoring and sampling plan, periodic solid waste and air analysis and monitoring and samples shared with the city.

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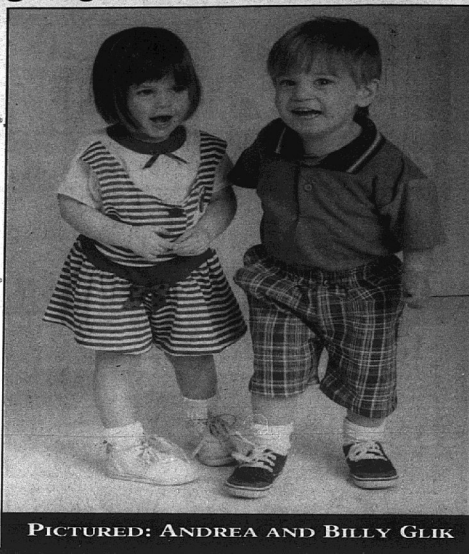
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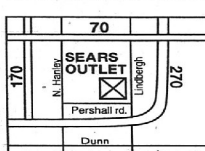
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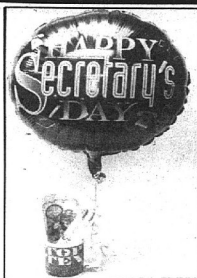
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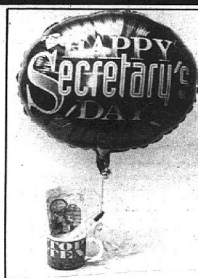
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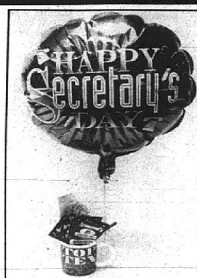
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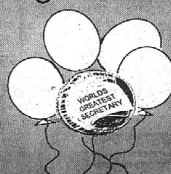


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Briefly

Denise Brown at SIUE

Denise Brown, of the Nicole Brown Simpson Foundation, will present "Hands Are Not For Hitting," a speech about domestic violence in America, at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 29 at the Vadalabene Center on the campus of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Tickets are \$8 for general admission, \$6 for students and may be purchased at Providence Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa Street in Granite City, or Expressions J&M Design, 18 East Main Street, Belleville.

Sponsors of the event include the Providence Wellness Center, Phoenix Crisis Center Inc., and SIUE Student Social Workers.

All proceeds benefit the Phoenix Crisis Center in Granite City, a shelter for abused women.

Flag Day planning set

A planning meeting for this year's annual Flag Day parade will be held on Monday, May 1, at the Venice-Madison American Legion Post 307 in Venice, beginning at 7 p.m.

This parade will be dedicated to the men and women who served in World War II, the 50th year anniversary of the end of the war. Plans will be discussed to make this year's parade even bigger and better than in previous years.

The fifth annual Quad-City Flag Day parade is scheduled for Saturday, June 17.

Representatives from all veterans, fraternal, civic, religious, unions, business and youth organizations are invited to attend. Any person or persons representing various groups such as churches, marching units, bands, kennel clubs, car clubs and clown, among others, are invited to participate in the parade.

For further information, contact the co-chairpersons, Mary Scarsdale at 451-9626 or Jim Taylor at 931-4504. If answering machines are on, please leave a message.

Road rules course set

Secretary of State George H. Ryan, in cooperation with the Granite City Council of Senior Citizens, is offering a Rules of the Road review course for all citizens in the Granite City area. This course is free to everyone, any age, who wishes to attend.

The two-hour course is designed to answer questions about the Rules of the Road and to assist participants in preparation for examination. Topics include written, vision and road tests.

The Rules of the Road review course will be held from 9 to 11 a.m. Friday, April 28, at the Granite City Township Hall, 2060 Delmar Ave., Granite City. Preregistration is not required. Call 877-4373 for more information.

Acting workshop planned

"Acting for Television," a three-week workshop demonstrating an acting technique that can be very different from working on a theater stage, will be offered for credit or noncredit from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. three times weekly from June 5 to June 23 at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

The workshop, offered through the SIUE department of theater and dance, is part of the university's SummerArts '95 program. Commendable, scenes, and corporate training video styles will be performed on camera, videotaped, and critiqued. The workshop also includes "cold reading quick-study" techniques for dramatic and corporate video acting.

For more information about the workshop and credit fees, call the SIUE department of theater and dance, 692-2773.

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Obituaries

Nancy Forney

Nancy (Vaughn) Forney, 44, of Philadelphia, formerly of Granite City, died Saturday, April 22, 1995, at the Medical College of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia, following a battle with cancer. She was born Jan. 8, 1951, in Granite City.

President of Snyder & Vaughan & Associates Inc. and vice president of the Shoresmaster Company Inc., she graduated from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville in 1977 and was a member of First Presbyterian Church in Granite City.

Survivors include her husband, LeRoy S. Forney, Ph.D., to whom she was married five years; one stepson, Matthew Gabe Forney of Beijing, China; one stepdaughter, Ellen Forney of Seattle, Wash.; her parents, Sidney and Betty Faye Vaughn of Granite City; three sisters, Cindy Sellers of Decatur and Jennifer Owens and Lisa Frost, both of Granite City; one half brother, Larry Vaughn of Texas; and one half sister, Sheri Swanson of Miami, Fla.

She was preceded in death by one son, Benjamin Stanfill, who died in 1978.

Visitation is from 5 to 8 p.m. today, Wednesday, April 26, at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard, Granite City.

Services are at 10 a.m. Thursday at First Presbyterian Church, 2150 Delmar Ave., Granite City. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

Memorials are requested for the Nancy Forney Memorial Fund: Day Camp for Children, Central Branch YMCA, 1425 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19102.

John Guiraff

John Guiraff, 75, of Northridge, Calif., formerly of Granite City, died Sunday, April 23, 1995, at Encino-Tarzana Hospital, following a six-week illness. He was born Oct. 29, 1919, in Bucyrus, Ohio, and had been a resident of Northridge for 45 years.

An airplane structural mechanic with McDonnell Douglas for 20 years prior to his retirement in 1975, he was a World War II U.S. Army Air Corps veteran and of the Eastern Orthodox faith.

Survivors include his wife, Mary (Baczewski) Guiraff; one son, William Guiraff of Northridge; and one sister, Louise Shambro of Lexington, Ky.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Etcho and Todor (Mitrodenko) Guiraff; one brother; and one sister.

Visitation is from 5 to 9 p.m.

Thursday, April 27, at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard in Granite City, where services are at 10 a.m. Friday with the Rev. Peter Stamboldjiev officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

A prayer service will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

Memorials are requested for Holy Trinity Bulgarian Eastern Orthodox Church in Madison.



Sue Jackson

Sue (Sykes) Jackson, 52, of Collinsville, formerly of Granite City, died at 8:10 a.m. Friday, April 21, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, following a two-month illness. She was born Feb. 22, 1943, in Granite City and had been a resident of Collinsville since 1979.

An employment consultant with General Employment in St. Louis for four years, she was a member of First Church of the Nazarene.

Survivors include her husband, William Jackson, whom she married Aug. 15, 1960, in Granite City; one son, Rodney Bryan Jackson of Collinsville; one daughter, Colleen Schmeisser of Collinsville; her mother, Laura (Tankersley) Sternberg of Granite City; two sisters, Wanda Jackson of St. Louis and Sheryl Ariana of Troy; and three grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father, Orville Sykes. Services were held Monday at Irwin Chapel, Granite City, with the Rev. Mel Sorenson officiating. Burial was in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis County.

Memorials are requested for the American Cancer Society.



Tony Vavra

Tony Vavra, 77, of Granite City, formerly of Madison, died at 10

a.m. Saturday, April 22, 1995, at his residence, following a sudden illness. He was born Sept. 13, 1917, in Madison and had been a lifelong resident of the Granite City-Madison area.

A supervisor with American Steel for 44 years prior to his retirement June 1, 1977, he was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church in Granite City, a charter member of AMVETS Post 204, a member of Venice-Madison American Legion Post 307 and the Young at Heart and an Army veteran, receiving the Purple Heart.

Survivors include his wife, Wilma (Sattich) Vavra, whom he married in 1939; and several nephews, nieces, great-nephews and great-nieces.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Mollie (Dusko) Vavra; and one brother, William Vavra.

Services were held Tuesday at Holy Family Catholic Church, Granite City, with the Rev. William Fisherkeffer officiating. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Glen Carbon. Arrangements were handled by Thomas Memorial Mortuary, Granite City.

Memorials are requested for Holy Family Catholic Church.



Caroline Lux

Caroline M. (Halter) Lux, 90, of Gillespie, formerly of Granite City, died at 3:05 p.m. Thursday, April 20, 1995, at Carlinville Hospital, Carlinville. She was born Aug. 18, 1904, in Chaffee, Mo.

A homemaker and a volunteer with St. Elizabeth Medical Center for many years, she was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church in Granite City and Granite City Senior Citizens.

Survivors include one son, Philip W. Mull Sr. of Gillespie; three stepsons, Raymond Roland and Gerald Lux, all of the Tri-City area; one stepdaughter, Lois Hollenbeck of the Tri-City area; 11 grandchildren and step-grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Lester L. Mull; her second husband, Joseph Lux; one son, William R. Mull; and her parents, Phillip and Mary (Welter) Halter.

Services were held Monday at Holy Family Catholic Church, Granite City. Burial was in St. John Cemetery, Granite City. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

Memorials are requested for Holy Family Catholic Church.

William J. "Bill" Domescik Sr., 69, of Glen Carbon, died at 11:20

a.m. Sunday, April 23, 1995, at his residence, following a three-year illness. He was born Sept. 11, 1925, in Gillespie and had been a resident of Glen Carbon for six years.

An electrical engineer with Monsanto Chemical Company Quenele Plant in St. Louis for 35 years and the Saugeit plant for six years prior to his retirement in 1982, he was a member of St. Cecilia Catholic Church in Glen Carbon and Monsanto Chemical Company Management Club and a World War II Army infantry veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Margaret (Montague) Domescik; four sons, William J. Domescik Jr. of Humble, Texas, Timothy F. Domescik of Flagler, Fla., Bruce Domescik of Collinsville and Brian Domescik of Glen Carbon; two daughters, Karen Janssen of Florissant, Mo., and Norborn Chamberlain of Mascoutah; two brothers, Andrew Domescik of Collinsville and Donald Domescik of Swansea; one sister, Julia Mae Domescik of Puerto Rico; and seven grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Andrew and Stephanie (Kanduck) Domescik; and one brother, Edward Domescik.

Services are at 10:30 a.m. today, Wednesday, April 26, at Irwin Chapel, 3980 Maryville Parkway, Granite City, with the Rev. Stephen J. Pohlin officiating. Burial will be in Lake View Memorial Gardens, Fairview Heights.

Survivors include one son, Ken Jerome of Collinsville; one daughter, Marcella Horton of Collinsville; one brother, Harold Nolan of California; two sisters, Alleen Darnell of Granite City and Wanda Hampton of St. Louis; 11 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edgar F. Hahs; one son, Jerry Whitworth; two daughters, Mary Frances Jerome and Bonnie Lee Cluck; her parents, William and Grace (Adams) Nolan; one brother, Burleigh Nolan; one grandson; and one great-grandson.

Services were held Monday at Herr Funeral Home, Collinsville.

and was a member of American Association of Retired Persons Collinsville Chapter, Collinsville Senior Citizens, Daughters of Isabella and the Altar and Rosary Society.

Survivors include two daughters, Delores B. Hanser and Genna Moll, both of Collinsville; one sister, Mary Bess of Granite City; seven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Franklin B. Bilyeu; her parents, George W. and Lillian (Reck) Shackelford; five brothers; and one sister.

Services are at 10 a.m. today, Wednesday, at St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 207 Vandalla St., Collinsville, with the Rev. Robert Morris officiating. Burial will be in St. Peter and Paul Catholic Cemetery, Collinsville.

Arrangements are by Herr Funeral Home, Collinsville.

Iva Hahs

Iva L. (Nolan) Hahs, 86, of Collinsville, died Friday, April 21, 1995, at Memorial Hospital, Belleville. She was born Jan. 13, 1909, in Advance, Mo.

A homemaker, she was a member of International Chemical Workers' Retirees Club Local 12.

Survivors include one son, Ken Jerome of Collinsville; one daughter, Marcella Horton of Collinsville; one brother, Harold Nolan of California; two sisters, Alleen Darnell of Granite City and Wanda Hampton of St. Louis; 11 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

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Services were held Monday at Herr Funeral Home, Collinsville.

Laura Taylor

Laura L. (Petri) Taylor, 90, of Granite City, died Friday, April 21, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She was born April 18, 1905, in Darmstadt, Ill.

A credit manager with Shu-Styles Shoe and Linemaker Inc. for 59 years prior to her retirement in 1980, she served as a secretary and treasurer and was a lifetime member of St. Peter Evangelical United Church of Christ in Granite City, a member of the Women's Guild and Granite Chapter 650 Order of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Taylor was a world traveler for many years.

Survivors include one nephew, Vernal Deutschman of Granite City; and one niece, Marguerite Brown of Freeburg.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Herschel Taylor, who died in 1967; her parents, Phillip and Margaret (Bohmeier) Petr; one brother, Walter Petr; and two sisters, Amanda Deutschman and Mildred Groh.

Services were held Monday at Davis Funeral Home, Granite City, with the Rev. Rose Hermonoff officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

Memorials are requested for St. Peter Evangelical United Church of Christ.

Frank Rodriguez

Frank Rodriguez, 76, of Granite City, formerly of Fairmont City, died at 5:25 a.m. Saturday, April 22, 1995, at his residence, following a three-year illness. He was born July 14, 1918, in Fairmont City and had been a resident of Granite City for 33 years.

A plaster with Amax for 45 years prior to his retirement in 1972, he was a U.S. Navy veteran and of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include his wife, Virgie (Downs) Rodriguez, whom he married Nov. 4, 1960, in Washington Park; one daughter, Martha Becker of Granite City; one brother, Joseph Rodriguez of Fairmont City; five sisters, Blanch Harris and Mary Santen, both of Fairmont City, Dolores Loproaso and Rose Miller, both of St. Louis, and Alice Reynolds of Ohio; and eight grandsons.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Amanda Vold; Rodriguez; and two brothers, Belarmino and Angel Rodriguez.

Services were held Tuesday at Mercer Mortuary, Granite City, with the Rev. Fred Boatright officiating. Burial was in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis County.

Verdu named delegate to aging meeting

Belleville Area College's Programs and Services for Older Persons (PSOP) Director Gene Verdu was recently appointed by U.S. Rep. Jerry F. Costello as a delegate to the 1995 White House Conference on Aging.

The conference will be held May 25 in Washington, D.C. More than 2,250 delegates from all 50 states and the U.S. territories meet every 10 years to develop resolutions related to the national policy on aging. Verdu was also a delegate at the 1971 and '81 conferences.

Last fall, Costello and PSOP hosted a district conference on aging in Belleville. Recommendations were formulated at that conference for inclusion in the '95 conference in Washington.

The theme of this year's conference is "America Now: Generations Aging Together with Independence, Opportunity, and Dignity."

Verdu is a member of the National Association of State Directors of Adult and Family Services and the National Association of Public Child Welfare Administrators.

7 new scholarships set up at BAC

The Belleville Area College Foundation, the college's friend and fund-raiser, has announced the establishment of seven new scholarships for deserving BAC students. Two of the scholarships already have been awarded.

Eligibility requirements vary with each scholarship. For more information on any of the scholarships listed below, call the BAC Foundation Office at 235-2700, extension 215.

The five scholarships to be awarded are:

• North County Savings Bank Scholarship — full-or-part-time students living in the Red Bud or Evansville area are eligible to apply.

• Schnaare Family Endowment — Residents of Randolph

or Monroe counties may apply for this scholarship, which is based on academic merit. First priority will be given to military veterans with need, veterans spouses or children, and students attending BAC's Red Bud Campus.

Local 116 Custodial and Maintenance Staff — Full-or-part-time students in the vocational area may apply.

• Granite City Elites Soccer — Applicants must make the BAC soccer team and must live in Granite City or Madison County.

• Federally Employed Women (FEW) Mary E. McGregor

Rabies clinic set

A rabies control clinic will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 26, at the Chouteau Township highway garage, located at 906 Thorngate (in the rear of Mid-West Motel) in Mitchell. Rabies vaccination and other disease preventative shots will be available at a nominal fee.

All Chouteau Township residents are urged to take advantage of this service for the benefit of your pets and family.

Memorial — Full-or-part-time students may apply, but you must be a civilian or military employee of Scott Air Force Base or a relative or a base employee.

The two scholarships that have been awarded are:

• Memorial Hospital Foundation — Female students, age 25 or older, are eligible to apply. Students must be in a program of study that would prepare them for employment in a healthcare position at Memorial Hospital in Belleville. However, there is no guarantee that scholarship recipients will be considered for employment.

The recipient for the 1995-96 school year is Anita Rockwell of Lebanon.

• Women of the '90s — Female students 17 or older may apply for this scholarship. Applicants must be preparing for a career where employment would be possible at Memorial Hospital or Belleville Area College.

The recipient for the 1995-96 school year is Susan Dulle of Belleville.

Correction

In a story in Sunday's Press-Record Journal about the Denise Brown fund-raising lecture for the Phoenix Crisis Center, "not" was left out of the name of her new program, "Hands Are Not for Hitting."

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If the agricultural levees along the middle Mississippi River had been raised and strengthened to prevent overtopping, the flood stages could have been an average of about 6 feet higher.

When levees are removed, the flow continues downstream in the larger floodway and higher flows may be experienced at critical cities and urban areas, causing increased stages at those locations.

Wetlands may reduce local flooding in the uplands by up to 25 percent, but restoring those wetlands would not have made an impact on flooding in the lower floodplain because most wetlands are already full of water throughout the watershed.

Converting floodplain farmland to wetlands would not have reduced the risk of flooding in the floodplain use of the floodplain is appropriate if the risk of flooding is understood and accepted within a local system of crop insurance and flood damage reduction measures.

The estimated costs for raising all agricultural levees to contain a 1993 flood just within the Corps' St. Louis District are estimated at \$5.6 billion.

Sound flood insurance coverage would assure that those who live in floodplain accept responsibility for flood damage.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Newsboys

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sale in all Schnuck's stores, will be a tough act to follow.

But he said Zimmerman would rise to the occasion.

Zimmerman is a perfect example of the truly great leadership the Old Newsboys Day campaign has always had, Miller said.

Indeed, the list of past chairmen is a veritable "Who's Who" of St. Louis, including the likes of Stan Musial, Blanche Touhill, Horace Wilkins Jr., the late August A. Busch Jr. and Robert Hyland.

Zimmerman said it was the proven track record of the fund-

raiser that prompted him to serve as chairman.

Although Zimmerman has been in St. Louis only three years, he's familiar with Old Newsboys Day.

"It didn't take too long to understand that this is a very big and successful operation," he said.

And he said a KMOX Journal collaboration can only make the fund-raiser more successful.

"The reach of the Suburban Journals and the reach of KMOX makes for a great partnership," he said.

Zimmerman said he's pleased with the shift to the October date. "Better weather makes

better spirits," he said. Actually, the spirit around town that week should be electric anyway. If all goes as planned, the St. Louis Rams will be playing their first game in the new downtown stadium Oct. 22.

For Zimmerman, who is also vice president and general manager of radio station KLOU-FM (103), serving as Old Newsboys chairman is just another indication of his commitment to community involvement.

He serves on the boards of the local Boy Scout Council, the St. Louis Science Center, the St. Louis Sports Committee, the Anti-Drug Abuse Education Fund Inc., Christmas in St. Louis, the

Regional Commerce and Growth Association, and Downtown, St. Louis.

He is an advisor to the Mathews-Dickey Boys Club.

Although Old Newsboys Day still is several months away, potential volunteer newsboys should mark their calendars now. And anyone who shied away from helping out before because of weather will either have to sign up to help or think of another excuse.

To become an Old Newsboys Day volunteer, or for volunteers to secure their favorite street corner, call 821-0211.

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■ **HOSPICE CARE FOR CANCER, ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE & OTHER TERMINAL ILLNESSES, Tuesday, May 16, 2-3:30 p.m., St. Elizabeth's Hospital.** Presented by: Diane Smith, executive director, Family Hospice; Marsha Bucks, patient care coordinator; Darrell Atkins, Family Hospice chaplain; and Nancy Paul, geriatric consultant. To register for this free Sr. VIP-sponsored program, call extension 1575.

■ **HEART HEALTHY SCREENING, Friday, May 19, 10 a.m.- noon, Millstadt Senior Center.** Cholesterol, Diabetes & Blood Pressure Check - \$8. By appointment only. Sponsors: St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Belleville Area College's PSOP, and St. Clair County Health Department. Register by May 17, call 476-3731, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

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Military

James Jacobs
Navy Seaman Recruit James D. Jacobs, son of David J. Jacobs of Granite City, recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill.

During the eight-week program, Jacobs completed a variety of training, which included classroom study, practical hands-on instruction and an emphasis on physical fitness. In particular, Jacobs learned naval customs, first aid, fire fighting, water safety and survival and a variety of safety skills required for working around ships and aircraft.

Jacobs and other recruits also received instruction on the Navy's core values—honor, courage and commitment; and what the words mean in guiding personal and professional conduct. Jacobs joins 55,000 men and women who will enter the Navy this year from all over the country.

Men and women train together from their first day in the Navy just as they do aboard ships and at shore bases around the world. To reinforce the team concept, Jacobs and other recruits also were trained in preventing sexual harassment and ensuring equal opportunity.

Jason Stanley
Jason S. Stanley, son of Nicholas and Tina Stanley of Madison, has enlisted in the Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program. Stanley, a 1995 graduate of Madison High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the regular Air Force on Aug. 10.

IMSA names review panel

Ninety-three people representing various Illinois organizations evaluated student applications to the Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy (IMSA) April 3-4 as members of IMSA's 1995 student review committee.

Committee members represented various educational, professional, and civic organizations in Illinois. The group reviewed 944 student applications. Admissions decisions for IMSA's Class of 1998 will be announced in late May. At least 200 students will be admitted.

IMSA is an educational laboratory for designing and testing innovative programs to transform mathematics and science teaching and learning through partnerships with teachers, schools and students in Illinois. Included in the laboratory is a residential school program for 600-plus Illinois students (grades 10-12) talented in mathematics and science.

Local area residents who served on the committee included: Belleville - Dr. Jack Ackerman, EMGE Middle School; Judy Ackerman, Education Service Center-Region #16.
Granite City - Harold Gebhardt, Visitation Academy.

Jim Hart heads hospice benefit

Jim Hart, the Director of Intercollegiate Athletics at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, and former St. Louis Cardinal quarterback, will co-chair the 11th Annual Jog Walk-A-Thon on Saturday, May 13.

This is the third year Hart has helped Hospice of Southern Illinois Inc. (HSI) raise funds. The annual event begins at 8 a.m. at Thompson Point on Campus Lake.

WUEZ 105.3 FM, The Southern Illinoisan, and Mack's Super Foods in Marion are sponsors of the fund-raiser, and have provided generous support to HSI and to the success of the Jog Walk-A-Thon.

All participants will receive a free 100 percent cotton T-shirt and other prizes. A total of \$1,200 in cash prizes will be awarded to the top three qualifiers in two categories.

A Jog Walk-A-Thon will take place in Fairview Heights on Saturday, June 3, with former Washington Redskins star and two-time Super Bowl champion Dave Butz leading that team.

In his role as co-chairman, Hart will inspire his Carbondale team to give their best effort and raise more money for HSI than his counterpart in Fairview Heights.

All proceeds will benefit HSI, a not-for-profit, community-based, state licensed, Medicare/Medicaid certified hospice. HSI chooses not to directly bill patients or their families for the patient care it provides. Only a portion of the funding for HSI comes from Medicare/Medicaid and private insurance coverage.

Pledge sheets and official rules are available by calling 1-800-233-1708. Participants can get pledge sheets the day of the event. Pledges and donations are due July 5.

graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course at Lackland Air Force Base, near San Antonio, Texas. Stanley is scheduled to receive technical training in the general aptitude career field.

Stanley will be earning credits toward an associate degree in applied sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and technical training schools.

John Hopkins
Air Force Airman John G. Hopkins has graduated from Air

Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Hopkins is the son of Patricia A. Fultz and the stepson of Michael P. Fultz of Granite City. The airman is a 1993 graduate of Granite City High School.

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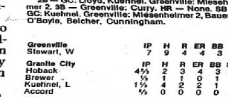
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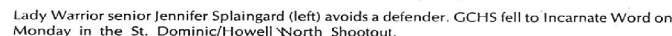
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But Dembeck scored twice in a span of 6:30 late in the first half for a 2-0 lead, and Sara Burkett added a goal early in the second half to put the game away. The Red Knights held the Lady War-

The Lady Warriors made runs at the net throughout the second half and threatened to score on several occasions, but the Red (See LADY WARRIORS, Page 3B)

.....	G A
Kara Gausen.....	7 7 2
Michelle McGaughey.....	6 6 1
Carrie Simpson.....	5 1 1
Christy Costello.....	4 1 1
Kelly Williamson.....	3 2 2
Janahan Mahan.....	4 0 0
Jennifer Spalgaard.....	4 0 0
Tara Tomlinson.....	1 5 1
Holly Francisworth.....	1 4 0
Janet DeLong.....	2 2 2
Amy Hanson.....	2 2 1
Staci Dowdy.....	2 0 0
Tonya Genovesse.....	1 0 0
Jaime DeLong.....	1 0 0
Connie Meyers.....	1 0 0
Kelly Thomas.....	0 1 1
Eryn Ellis.....	0 0 0
Arny Anderson.....	0 0 0
Penny Kreher.....	0 0 0
Goalies	
Marcie Holsinger, 6 shutouts, 12 goals allowed; Shannon Roth, 3 shutouts, 3 goals allowed	

Bowland

Athletes Delights		
March 17		
Team high game		
Pain's Jesters.....	403	
Ed Hains II.....	403	
Strikes & Spares.....	403	
Warriors.....	403	
Team high series		
Pain's Jesters.....	1318	
Strikes & Spares.....	1297	
Warriors.....	1233	
Ed Hains II.....	1293	
Boys high game		
Bobby Bergfeld.....	285	
David Woods.....	202	
Billy Cahill.....	201	
Greg Meyer.....	190	
Boys high series		
Bobby Bergfeld.....	668	
Billy Cahill.....	513	
Maft Jackson.....	470	
David Woods.....	466	
Girls high game		
Francie Davis.....	129	
Jessica Uery.....	122	
Kelly Jackson.....	119	
Christine Bargiel.....	116	
Girls high series		
Francie Davis.....	403	
Christine Bargiel.....	334	
Jessica Uery.....	323	
Megan Lyria.....	306	
Grade School		
Team high game		
Bombers.....	372	
Strikers.....	343	
Brandi's Brats.....	343	
Bowling Babes.....	314	
Team high series		
Bombers.....	1009	
Brandi's Brats.....	838	
Bowling Babes.....	836	
Strikers.....	805	
Boys high game		
Billy Walker.....	188	
Bobby Nemeth.....	137	
Paul Kicker.....	132	
Justin Rumpf.....	126	
Boys high series		
Billy Walker.....	378	
Justin Rumpf.....	303	
Joah Griffin.....	301	
Bobby Nemeth.....	315	
Girls high game		
Denise Mueller.....	132	
Brandi Reynolds.....	130	
Lindsay Foster.....	119	
Megan Anders.....	119	
Girls high series		
Brandi Reynolds.....	334	
Denise Mueller.....	289	
Megan Anders.....	287	
Lindsay Foster.....	275	
High School		
Team high game		
We Quit.....	557	
*10 X.....	536	
Strikers.....	535	
Hell's Little.....	491	
Team high series		
We Quit.....	1549	
*10 X.....	1537	
Strikers.....	1489	
Hell's Little.....	1346	
Boys high game		
Mike Kubelka.....	219	
Dana Timmons.....	202	
Ray Fowler.....	202	
Dana Timmons.....	201	
Boys high series		
Mike Kubelka.....	599	
Curks Brown.....	563	
Girls high game		
Shelly Goleman.....	543	
Katherine Gregory.....	535	
Keri Cahill.....	219	
Jaime Wiczarski.....	195	
Karen Knox.....	150	
Girls high series		
Katherine Gregory.....	556	
Keri Cahill.....	538	
Jaime Wiczarski.....	443	
Karen Knox.....	435	
Saturday Scratch		
Team high game		
Goleman Gregory.....	405	
Dean Pittman.....	375	
Dealy Davenport.....	368	
Team high series		
Goleman Gregory.....	1500	
Dean Pittman.....	1460	
Dealy Davenport.....	1041	
Boys high game		
Phillip Dean.....	213	
Boys high series		
Phillip Dean.....	812	
Girls high game		
Shelly Goleman.....	234	
Katherine Gregory.....	230	
Stacey Davenport.....	151	
Girls high series		
Shelly Goleman.....	827	
Katherine Gregory.....	872	
Stacey Davenport.....	493	
Youth Adult		
Men's high game		
Orville Fowler.....	234	
Richard Schubert.....	227	
Bill Brown.....	223	
Carl Faulson.....	214	
Men's high series		
Richard Schubert.....	607	
Philip Simpson.....	606	
Bill Brown.....	584	
Steve Fowler.....	560	
Boys high game		
Daniel Judeman.....	219	
Billy Brown.....	199	
Jason Cundiff.....	183	
Curtis Brown.....	175	
Boys high series		
Daniel Judeman.....	586	
Billy Brown.....	556	
Jason Cundiff.....	491	
Curtis Brown.....	486	
Women's high game		
Jackie Harris.....	150	
Lisa Shrum.....	177	
Kim Johnson.....	162	
Loretta Shrum.....	149	
Women's high series		
Jackie Harris.....	538	
Lisa Shrum.....	413	
Loretta Shrum.....	401	
Kim Johnson.....	381	
Girls high game		
Katherine Gregory.....	179	
Angela Brown.....	130	
Tiffany Harris.....	111	
Girls high series		
Katherine Gregory.....	474	
Rebecca Brown.....	443	
Tiffany Harris.....	303	
Angela Brown.....	120	
Bump N Bowl		
Team high game		
Fireballs.....	341	
Round Dogs.....	338	
4 Amigos.....	325	
Vision Three.....	316	
Team high series		
Fireballs.....	629	
Strike Winners.....	628	
Hound Dogs.....	625	
Vision Three.....	615	
Boys high game		
Travis Cowan.....	113	
Denny Patterson.....	104	
Josh Hubbard.....	95	
Kevin Paulson.....	95	
Boys high series		
Josh Hubbard.....	203	
Kevin Paulson.....	184	
Travis Cowan.....	173	
Denny Patterson.....	163	
Girls high game		
Lauren McGovern.....	75	
Girls high series		
Lauren McGovern.....	137	
Christian Bowling		
Team high game		
Goofballs.....	656	
Half & Half.....	550	
GIU's.....	546	
Fantastic 4.....	534	
Team high series		
Goofballs.....	1836	
GIU's.....	1634	
Fantastic 4.....	1536	
Men's high game		
John Millon.....	201	
Ronald Chiodini.....	189	
Gordon Dunson.....	189	
Chris Jones.....	167	
Men's high series		
John Millon.....	592	
Ronald Chiodini.....	494	
Gordon Dunson.....	483	
Alan Sikes.....	472	
Women's high game		
Marla Derossett.....	171	
Rebecca Cowley.....	167	
Connie Lynch.....	167	
Sarah Hall.....	156	
Women's high series		
Rebecca Cowley.....	454	
Amory Boring.....	449	
Marla Derossett.....	440	
Sarah Hall.....	433	
Super Bowling		
Team high game		
3 Ninjas.....	247	
Milton Edington.....	247	
Little Rascals.....	202	
Looney Tunes.....	190	
Team high series		
3 Ninjas.....	494	
Hurricanes.....	395	
Gordon Dunson.....	394	
Looney Tunes.....	390	
Boys high game		
Glen Hollis.....	106	
Spencer Stevens.....	93	
Zachary White.....	76	
Boys high series		
Glen Hollis.....	203	
Aaron Papp.....	191	
Spencer Stevens.....	177	
Zachary White.....	129	
Girls high game		
Misty Hansen.....	101	
Amanda Hunted.....	86	
Jennifer Roark.....	80	
Erica Vanhaus.....	78	
Girls high series		
Misty Hansen.....	153	
Amanda Hunted.....	151	
Erica Vanhaus.....	138	
Jennifer Roark.....	133	

Sports shorts

Golf tourney
Tri-City Post 113 will hold its fourth annual golf tournament Sunday, May 7 at the Legacy Golf Course.
The tournament, a four-player scramble, will begin with the first tee time at 10 a.m. The entry fee is \$55 per person. Breakfast and a steak dinner will be held afterward at the American Legion Post 113 at 1025 State St. in Granite City.
Golfers are asked to form their own teams, or players will be assigned. The entry deadline is May 2. For more information, call Doug Winfield at 931-7083.

Volleyball meeting
An informational meeting for girls interested in playing volleyball at Granite City High School next fall will be held at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, April 27 at Memorial Gymnasium at 6:30 p.m.
Open gym opportunities for the summer and a practice schedule for next fall will be discussed at the meeting, which will be conducted by Granite City coach Cindy Gachig.

Park District registration
The Granite City Park District is now taking registration for its juvenile boys baseball and juvenile girls softball leagues.
The leagues will start play the first week of June. Registration will be held at the Wilson Park office, the entry fee is \$200, and the deadline for registration is May 12.
For more information, call Ray Hoffman at the Wilson Park office, 877-3059.

Softball registration
The Granite City Park District is now taking registration for its High School boys and girls softball leagues.
The leagues will start play the first week of June. Registration will be at the Wilson Park office, and the entry fee is \$180. The deadline to register is May 12.
Girls teams will play at Wilson Park Diamond No. 8 on Wednesday nights, and boys teams will play at Worthen Park on Saturday nights. For more information, call Ray Hoffman at 877-3059.

Busch Stadium trip
The Granite City Park District is sponsoring a trip for senior citizens to see a St. Louis Cardinals game at Busch Stadium. Tickets for a game between the Cardinals and the Atlanta Braves will go on sale Wednesday, April 26 at the Wilson Park office.
Tickets are \$10 and will include bus transportation to and from the game. The bus will leave the Wilson Park ice rink at 11:05 a.m., and the game is scheduled for 12:50 p.m.
Residents of the park district will have first priority, but tickets will be sold to non-residents after the first week they go on sale.
For more information, call Don Gore at 423-3580 or Rich Woolley (299-7040).

Baseball tournament
The Alton Baseball Association will hold a Memorial Day Tournament at Gordon Moore Park in Alton from May 26-28 for teams with players ages 12 and under. All teams will play at least three games. Cost is \$100 per team.
For more information, call Don Gore at 423-3580 or Rich Woolley (299-7040).

Mitchell Athletic Club sign-ups
The Mitchell Athletic Club needs teams for a girls slow-pitch softball league. Players from grades 6-8 and 9-12 are needed for the league, which will begin play 2 p.m. Saturday, April 29. Teams will play five games.
The cost is \$50 per team. For more information, call 797-1208.

Baseball players needed
The Granite City Chiefs men's baseball team needs players for a 27-and-over league. For more information, call Dennis Gurkin at 877-4504 before 8:30 p.m.

Golf tourney
The Granite City Sports Hall of Fame will hold a golf scramble tournament May 12 at the Legacy Golf Club. The tournament will have three flights and will be held at 7 a.m.

Entry fees may be mailed
Les Thompson, 3250 Westchester, Granite City, prior to May 5. Names of the team's golfers, along with their handicaps, should be provided.
For more information, call Thompson at 876-7636.

The golf tournament is held
in conjunction with the Hall of Fame's annual banquet and induction of honorees. Both individual tickets and reservations for tables of eight may be made by calling the Schooley Law offices at 452-7122. Tickets are priced at \$15 for adults and \$5 for children. Individual members of the Hall of Fame committee also have tickets available for purchase.

Mother's Day tourney
Teams are being sought for the SLAM (St. Louis Area Maniacs) Mother's Day ASA fast-pitch softball tournament, scheduled to be held May 12-14. The tournament is open to 8-and-under, 10-and-under, 12-and-under and 14-and-under teams, and will be held at the South County Athletic Association Dream Fields in South St. Louis County.
For more information, call Paul at (314) 225-0484 or Rodger at (314) 391-6868.

Women's softball league
Teams are needed for an open women's fastpitch double-header softball league to be played at Hartford. There will be a 14-game schedule and the first eight teams will be accepted. League play starts June 13-14, with teams playing one night per week.
Teams are also needed for an 18-under girls fastpitch tournament to be held June 10-11 in Hartford. It will be a round-robin in tournament and the first 12 to 15 teams will be accepted. The entry fee is \$125; send checks (payable to Royals) to Tony Zolner, 160 Tennessee, Granite City, Ill. 62040.
For more information, call Zolner at 931-4588.

Busch soccer camps
The Busch Soccer Club will conduct its 1995 summer camp series beginning June 12 at St. Louis Soccer Park. The camp directors are Denny Vaninger and David Eric.
For more information, call (314) 343-8110.

Teams, players needed
The St. Louis International Youth Baseball Association is seeking baseball teams — and individuals — with players born Aug. 1, 1982, or after. Teams will participate in an international tournament in Amsterdam from July 10-17 against teams from Germany, France, Belgium, Austria and the Netherlands.
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•Lady Warriors

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Knights' defense held strong and goalkeeper Beth Guccione recorded the shutout. Nevertheless, Lodes said he was impressed with Granite City's turnaround since the last time the two teams met.

"I thought they played a much better game," Lodes said. "It was a whole different team." The Lady Warriors have changed dramatically since earlier this season after moving senior striker Staci Dowdy to sweeper and senior forward Tonya Genovese to the backfield. Granite City has improved game by game, and the results showed

in the second half Monday night. Seniors Amy Henson, Kara Gauen and Jennifer Spalingard all enjoyed scoring chances in the second half to lead the Lady Warriors' offense.

"The second half was ours," Granite City coach Gene Baker said. "We're improving." "Amy Henson had a good game and showed great speed. Kara Gauen played well, and Tonya Genovese and Kelly Williamson played with a lot of heart."

Granite City's best scoring chance of the game came with 26:37 left, when Genovese blasted a 20-yard free kick over a wall of players and just over the crossbar. Granite City had four corner kicks in the second half, each played by Gauen, and nearly scored with less than a minute left when Spalingard fired a shot right at Guccione.

The loss was the first for the Lady Warriors since the last time they met the Red Knights, and it broke a seven-game winning streak. GCHS fell to 7-2-1. Incarnate Word, which also lost its season opener, has gone 17-1 since falling 1-0 to Hazelwood Central last month. The Red Knights' only win of the season came against Howell North.

Lembeck got the Red Knights going in the first half with a 35-yard shot past GCHS goalkeeper Marcie Holsinger at 21:03. Amy Timmerman recorded an assist

on the goal.

At 27:33, Lembeck chipped in a shot off a feed from Burkett just in front of the net. The Lady Warriors had two corner kick opportunities in the final 10 minutes of the half, but both attempts were cleared away.

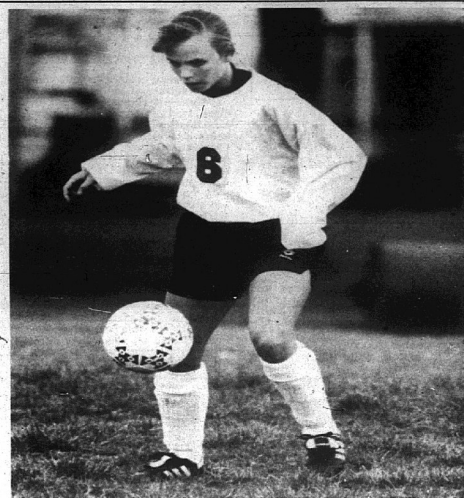
Burkett completed the scoring with an unassisted goal less than five minutes into the second half.

With the win, the Red Knights took a big step toward a semifinal berth in the Shootout this weekend. Incarnate Word and GCHS are in Bracket C with St. Joseph's and Duchesne.

The 12-team field is divided into three brackets and includes defending champion Hazelwood Central, St. Dominic, Parkway West and Rockwood Summit in Bracket A and Howell North, Nerinx Hall, Parkway Central and Notre Dame in Bracket B. The winners of each bracket will meet in the semifinals Saturday, along with a wild card team. The championship game is set for 4 p.m. at Howell North.

The Lady Warriors' hopes of reaching the semifinals now rest on how they and the rest of the teams in their bracket fare this week. Granite City was scheduled to meet St. Joseph's in the second round Tuesday and will end pool play Thursday with a 4 p.m. game against Duchesne.

"It's going to be real tough," Baker said. "Hopefully we can bounce back."



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Tonya Genovese gets the ball under control.

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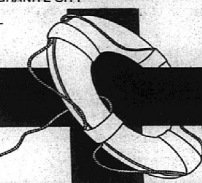
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That statistic was cited by Edwin Gerling, secretary, in his annual report delivered at the recent annual meeting of the chapter at Sunset Hills Country Club in Edwardsville.

Retiring chapter president, M. Joseph Hill, was succeeded by incoming president Charles A. James III for the 1995-96 term of office.

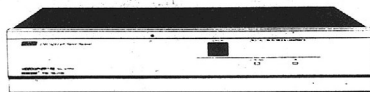
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Community calendar

Our event calendar also includes entries for community groups and their normal meeting days. Such groups meet on the first Monday of the month, the first Tuesday of the month, etc. Readers are encouraged to call these groups if holidays or other days pose uncertainty. Corrections, additions and deletions of information are encouraged, and new entries may be added at anytime by calling the newsroom at 876-2002. This calendar runs in every Wednesday's Journal.

Wednesday, April 26

International Training in Communication (ITC). Illini Club meets 5:30 p.m. at Ravello's Restaurant, 3000 S. Main St., near Village Shopping Center, Granite City.

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 83 will offer a service officer from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Tri-City Veterans Home, located at 1417 19th St. in Granite City. Call 876-7816 for more information.

Granite City Chess Club meets from 8 to 9 p.m. at the Granite City Public Library. For more information, call 876-4328.

Mount Zion Baptist Church, 2827 Mockingbird Lane, in Granite City, will offer free clothing available to those in need from 10 a.m. to noon.

Pulmonary Support Group, for persons with diagnosed lung condition, 11 a.m. to noon in Doctors Solarium, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3019.

Singles—Come to a Movie night at 6:30 p.m. at Petite 4 Cine in Collinsville. Call Frank at 876-4815 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth School's Noah's Ark Day Care, Pontoon Road, Granite City. The meetings are closed except for the last Wednesday of the month.

Collinsville Area Recreation District in conjunction with the Boots and Slippers Square Dance Club sponsor square dance lessons from 7 to 9 p.m. at Lanham, 2200 Vandallia St., Collinsville. The cost is \$2.50 per person. For session fee, call 344-4636 or 344-4183, or contact CARD at 346-7539.

Divorced and Separated Group Ministry, 7:30 p.m., Eden United Church of Christ, 905 Second Street, Edwardsville, 656-9268.

Al-Anon, 7:15 p.m., Gateway Foundation, 600 Lincoln, Caseyville, 463-2401.

Parents Anonymous Group, meets 6 to 8 p.m. For information on where meeting will be held, call Elaine Landolt, 462-2714.

Stress Management Class, 7 to 8 p.m., Mental Health Services, 50 Northgate Industrial Drive, Granite City. For people who want to know what causes stress, how it affects their lives, and what they can do about it. For more information call 877-4420. Fees are based on a sliding income scale.

Madison Community Action Group meets at 7 p.m. For more information call Dan at 452-2336 or Diane at 876-1360.

Thursday, April 27

Venice Park Board, 6:30 p.m., Venice Recreation Center, 450 S. Main St., Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., City Center, 906 Thorngate Drive, Mitchell, 876-4328.

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Singles Connection will host a reception and introductory meeting at 7 p.m. at Imo's in Edwardsville. Call Sandy at 344-1393 for more information.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 2363, 6:45 p.m. at Anchorage Recreation Center, 2909 Edwards St. For information, call 797-6331 or 877-2764.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa, 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Seeking recovery, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

Overeaters Anonymous, 7:30 p.m. at First Christian Church, 2415 N. 80th St., Caseyville. For information, call 1 (314) 638-7821.

Granite City Community Band rehearsals, 7:30 to 9 p.m. at St. John United Church of Christ, 2901 Nameoki Road, Granite City, 931-0443.

Friday, April 28

Hereditary Ataxia (a disorder of nerve cells in the spinal cord and cerebellum) support group. Call Curt Williams, 877-5172, for information.

Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. in the Milonski Room in the basement at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 463-2429 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Friday Afternoon Pinocchio Club for seniors 55 and over meets at 12:30 p.m. at the Har-old Brown Building, Franklin Avenue and Pontoon Road. Call 877-0950 for more information.

Rules of the Road review course will be held from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Granite City Town-

ship Hall, 2060 Delmar Ave. Call 877-4373 for more information.

Singles Connection will hold a Bob Cuban's singles night out at 8:30 p.m. at Stouffer's at the Airport, Call Felix at 656-2063 for more information.

STEMSS (Support Together for Emotional and Mental Serenity and Sobriety). A support group for people with a mental illness and an alcohol or substance abuse problem, meets from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at Pascal Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 798-3804 for more information.

Saturday, April 29

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Al-Anon Adult Children, 10 a.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 463-2429.

Eye Eye Birdie will be presented by ShowTime Express at 7:30 p.m. at Players, 1329 Nied-ershausen Ave. in Granite City. Tickets are \$7.

Narcotics Anonymous, Acceptance, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

Rescue Mission, 1536 Fourth St., Madison, food pantry is open from 9 a.m. to noon. Samuel Turner is the chairman, Valonda Turner is the secretary and Alfred Turner is the pastor.

Singles Connection will host a mystery nature excursion. Meet at the Collinsville K-Mart at 8 a.m. Call John at 345-5042 for more information.

Sunday, April 30

Alcoholics Anonymous, 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Narcotics Anonymous, Live the Steps, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Pascal Hall, main floor, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Eagles Auxiliary 1126 Bingo, 1 p.m. at the Nameoki Bingo Center. Also included will be a color raffle and a 50/50 drawing.

Overeaters Anonymous, meets at 2 p.m. in the Wiseman Room, first floor, St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

Monday, May 1

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 53 Auxiliary, 1417 19th St., Granite City, 876-7816, 8 p.m.

Old Six Mile Historical Society will hold its general meeting at 7 p.m. at Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road in Granite City. The election of officers and directors will be held. The speaker will be Emerald Dawes, who will speak on the "History of Nameoki."

Quad City Youth Fellowship Adult Board, 2257 Cleveland, 7 p.m., 931-3480 or 877-4848.

Camera Explorers Club, Hartford Public Library, 143 W. Hawthorne St., 7 p.m., call Beverly Zager, 254-9329.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Al-Anon, 9:30 a.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 463-2429.

Neglected Victims of Child Sexual Abuse, a support group for nonoffending parents of victims, meets from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville's Rape and Sexual Abuse Care Center. Call 692-2197 for details.

TOPS 2048 (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 6 p.m., Melvin Fire Support Center in Granite City; 876-2124.

TOPS IL 645, 7 p.m., Anchorage Recreation Center, 2902 Edwards St., Granite City, 452-6102. Men and women welcome.

Wal-Mart Senior Citizens, bingo, 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.

Tuesday, May 2

Diabetes Support Group, 1 to 2 p.m., St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3019.

3 p.m., President's Room, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3019.

Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Madison County, (AMI) meets 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Mental Health Clinic, 50 Industrial Drive, Granite City. For information call 798-3804.

Elkettes, Granite City Lodge 1063, Maryville Road, 931-3557, 7 p.m.

Granite City Unit, Madison County Homemakers Extension Association, noon, Anchorage Recreation Center. For more information call 876-7026 or 931-3785.

Tric Unit, Madison County Homemakers Extension Association, noon, Hope Lutheran Church, 3715 Washburn Ave., Granite City.

Pontoon Beach Library Board, Pontoon Beach Village Hall, 3910 Highway 111, 6:30 p.m.

Madison County Legal Secretaries Association, meets at 6:30 p.m. Open to everyone in legal field; attorneys, legal secretaries, support staff, court reporters and court personnel. For more information call 465-4400.

Depressive Manic Depressive Association of Madison County will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. James E. Lewis and Karl A. Strassman, co-leaders of the DMDA, will conduct the meetings. For more information, call 877-7517 or (314) 776-4929.

TOPS 1699, (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) will meet at 6:45 p.m. at the Anchorage Recreation Center, 2902 Edwards St.; call 797-2724 for more information. Men and women are welcome to attend.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:30 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous (women only), 8 p.m., Presbyterian Church, Mitchell, 1 (800) 307-6600.

OES past matrons club meets

The past matrons club of Granite Chapter 650 Order of the Eastern Star met at Jerry's in Granite City for their spring dinner on April 3. President Vee Thorne welcomed members and guests to the annual event. Chaplain Dona Boyer gave the invocation preceding the dinner.

Cheer cards were signed by all for Della Aulabaugh, Lois Ann Bihrey and Ida Cariss. A special card was prepared for Betty McClintock, who has recently left the area. The current worthy matron of Granite Chapter, Betty Ebrecht, and the worthy patron, Jack DeCourcy, were honored guests.

Others in attendance besides the ones mentioned above, were Kim Hebbelthwaite, Lois Hebbelthwaite, Thelma May, John Boyer, Bess Henley, Virginia John, Karmyn Edmonds, Evelyn Nancey, Mary Bihrey, Mary Petrosian, Carol Downing, Rachel and Joe Lee, Neal Kelso, Mary Ann DeHart, Guylla Stuart and Donna Kagy.

Games were enjoyed and the following were winners for the evening: Betty Ebrecht, Mary Petrosian, Evelyn Nancey, Gladys Fuhrman, Kim Hebbelthwaite, Virginia John, Bess Henley, Karmyn Edmonds and Vee Thorne.

Hostesses for the event were Dona Boyer, Kim Hebbelthwaite and Vee Thorne. The Easter theme was used in decorations.

Legion juniors hold meeting

The 22nd District American Legion Auxiliary juniors held their spring meeting at Venice-Madison Post 307 on April 8. Lunch was served to 17 members.

Christie Ballard, junior president from Venice-Madison Unit 307, conducted the meeting. Reports were given by units on their activities since the February meeting. It was announced that the Unit 307 juniors have been asked to present the "flag folding" ceremony at the department junior conference April 29 in East Peoria.

Election of officers was held for 1995-96. The following were elected: Lisa Garcia of Columbia 581, president; Megan Miller of Venice-Madison 307, vice president; Chelsey Peery of Venice-Madison 307, treasurer; Katie Straub of Columbia 581, historian; Kaleigh Peery of Venice-Madison 307, chaplain; and Kelly Payne of Cahokia 794, sergeant-at-arms.

The fall meeting will be hosted by the Cahokia Unit 794 juniors. The place and date will be announced at a later date.

Sometime in the summer months, another trip to the Marion Veterans Administration Nursing Home and Haven will be taken.

Those attending the April meeting from Venice-Madison Unit 307 were Cathy Moreland, Laura Martin, Jenna Miller, Megan Miller, Rhonda Ballard, Christie Ballard, Kaleigh Peery and Chelsey Peery. Adults attending from Venice-Madison Unit 307 were Dorothy Hinson, Carla Peery, Connie Ballard

and Cindy Yobby. Rose Moreland of Granite City Unit 113 also attended.

Following the business meeting, bingo was played and Easter favors were distributed to all present.

The annual contests for junior members were judged at this meeting. Winners from Venice-Madison were as follows:

• Poppy corsage: Cathy Moreland, first place; Laura Martin, second place; and Kaleigh Peery, third place.

• Poppy floral arrangement: Laura Martin, third place.

• Poppy hat: Cathy Moreland, first place; Laura Martin, second place; and Kaleigh Peery, third place.

• Poppy holiday decoration: Cathy Moreland.

• Book or prayers: Cathy Moreland.

• Junior unit history: Jenna Miller.

• Junior district history: Megan Miller.

• Junior press book: Chelsey Peery.

Judges for these contests were Judy Zimmerman and Angie Zimmer, both of New Douglas Unit 710; and Bea Harrison of Cahokia Unit 794. All first-place winners in the district contests will be taken to the department conference on April 29 and 30 for state judging.

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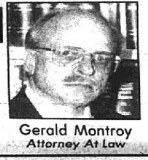
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AARP 1340 — Board members of the Granite City American Association of Retired Persons Chapter 1340 attended a district community council meeting at the Fairview Heights Senior Center. Topics discussed were current legislation, entitlements and different chapters' activities. Officers attending the meeting from AARP 1340 are, from left, Mary Earls, Helen Bertacci, Lucille Caban, Margaret Kwiatkowski, Jim Gerbac, Pauline Hanson, Rita Lombardi and Mike Lombardi.

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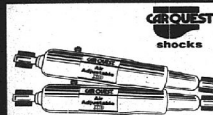
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Special visitor — Celebrating his first Easter, Shawn Gregory Link sleeps on the Easter Bunny's lap as his mother, Toni, watches. Shawn weighs 9 pounds, 6 ounces and is 21 inches long. He is the son of Kevin and Toni Link of Granite City. The Easter Bunny from the Belleville Area College of Campus Activities office visited St. Elizabeth Medical Center April 7.

Briefly

Sorority meets

The regular monthly meeting of the Eta Alumnae Chapter of the Phi Tau Omega Sorority was held April 5 at Charlie's Restaurant, hosted by June Drew and Elsie Rodell. Fourteen members attended the party.

Following lunch, cards were played and prizes were won by Laveada Knobbe, Van Stuart, Mary Evelyn Yencho, Stacia Tatum, Helen Hoelscher, Celestine Lucas and Betty Lou Harris.

Others attending not mentioned above were Irene Hayes, Dorothy Johannmeier, Mildred Jungels, Marguerite Lexow and Melba Turpoff.

The next meeting will be held May 3, hosted by Van Stuart and Betty Lou Harris.

Concert held

The Granite City High School vocal music department presented a mid-winter concert, performing the works of the great Broadway composer Jerry Herman, on Thursday, March 2, in the high school auditorium. The advanced mixed chorus, swing choir and contanto members presented medleys, solos, duets and ensembles from such Broadway shows as *Milk and Honey*, *Hello, Dolly*, *Manne*, *Mack and Mabel*, *La Cage Aux Folles*, *The Grand Tour*, among others.

The songs "Milk and Honey," "Shalom," "Chin Up, Ladies," "Manne," "Dear World," "Kiss Him Now," "Movies Were Movies," "La Cage Aux Folles" and "The Best of Times," along with a medley of songs from *Hello, Dolly*, were performed by the choruses.

The featured performers, Phyllis Downs, Renee Condray, Kevin Randall, David Pritchett, Deborah Brackins, Jacqueline Brewer, Teresa Morris, Patrick Ryan, Paul Pulaski, Amy Mahan, Mandy Bloodworth, Jessi Frazier, Stacey Brimm, Beth Peery, Melissa White, Karla Pieper, Keith Wooten, Jeffery Cragin, Michael Kubelka, Kelly Pieper, Emily Zarate, Brandy Lindz, Sarah Sachens, Kip Campbell and Nicole Beckley, sang such songs as "Chin Up, Ladies," "Manne," "My Best Girl," "Bosom Buddies," "Movies Were Movies," "I Won't Send Roses," "Time Heals Everything," "Tap Your Troubles Away," "Marianne," "You I Take It All Off" and "I am What I am."

Womens' group meets — Daughters of Isabella Our Lady of Fatima Chapter 835 held its March meeting in the Knights of Columbus Hall's Ladies Auxiliary room. Irma Manning, regent, opened the meeting. In the absence of the chancellor,

Lucille Caban gave the prayer, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

The draping of the charter for Mary Fastina was held. Roll call was given, followed by the minutes of the previous meeting, which were given by Eugene Stanfill, recording secretary.

Guest night was to be held April 6 at Brenda's. Members were asked to bring a prize for games and a staple gift for the Phoenix House.

The birthday for the month was Anneleise Gyarmati, who took the vocation traveling crucifix for the month.

The state convention will be held April 28-30 at the Holiday Inn, Harvey, Ill. Those attending are Irma Manning and Dorothy Hoedbeck, vice regent.

The next social committee will be Johanna Bukovac and Irma Manning.

The 50/50 drawing was won by Dorothy Hoedbeck. The meeting ended with prayer.

Birthday celebrated

Heather Smith was honored on her sixth birthday at a party given by her parents, Bob and Veronica Voegel, held at Chuck E. Cheese in Fairview Heights. The Lion King theme was used with each child receiving party favors and tokens for the games and rides.

Chuck E. Cheese then presented Smith with a birthday balloon and led the group in a chorus of "Happy Birthday." Pizza, soda and birthday cake was served to all followed by Smith opening her presents and cards with help from her mother.

Those present were Ashley and Kimmy Smith; Libby and Ron Wilson; Janice, Amber, Alyssa and Angela Kamacho; GG and Nikki Skipper; Debbie and Joshua Nelson; Ron, Amber, Hollie Kamacho; Ronnie, Tara and Ronnie Voegel; Morgan Cooper; Sheila, Amanda and Steve Pilgr; and Cecilia Kamacho.

Students 'vacation' in Florida swamp

The traditional spring break beach blast was not awaiting McKendree College students who ventured to the Okefenokee swamp. Instead, the students spent their spring break, March 14-19, on a wilderness canoe trip studying alligators, carnivorous plants and a wide variety of other living things in the swamp.

The students investigated plant and animal life as part of a field biology class taught at McKendree College. The group was led by associate professor of biology Chuck Davis, who is a resident of Lebanon. He and his daughter,

Dianna, a freshman at Lebanon High School, were accompanied by nine McKendree students: Hayato Akiyama, an international student from Japan; Jennifer Elias, Lebanon; Debra Eising, Belleville; Mike Fisher, Granite City; Misty Helm, Iuka, Ill.; Kris and Joe Lorenz, Fairview Heights; Matthew Ritz, Lebanon; and Bryan White, Belleville.

Besides venturing into the swamp, Davis said the students studied the ecology of the coastal islands of Georgia and South Carolina, assessed first hand the effects of the recent hurricanes in the area and acquired an understanding of the importance of hurricanes in the long-term history of the southeast coastal region.

Card club meets

The March meeting of the Butterfly Card Club was at the home of Mary Lou Claussen after the members had lunch at Jordan's in St. Louis.

Following dessert, a brief meeting was held. The afternoon was spent playing pinocle. The high scoring were Catherine Hommert, Hazel Rollins, Lorraine McIlvoy and Thelma Schmidt. Renee Willis and Edith Ryan won the honors prizes.

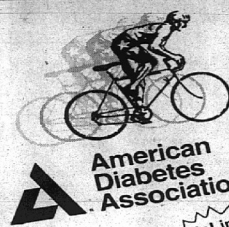
Junia Rosenberg, Harriet Hoff and Nell Talley were also present at the meeting.

Haack nominated

Robert Haack of Granite City, a senior majoring in actuarial science in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, has been nominated as one of the top 20 outstanding students at Butler University in Indianapolis.

During parents' spring weekend, Friday, April 7, through Sunday, April 9, the Butler University Alumni Association hosted the outstanding student recognition dinner for the top 100 outstanding students and their families. Students are nominated by fellow students, faculty and staff based on outstanding character, scholarship, dedication and leadership both on and off campus.

The student recognition program committee, comprised of students, alumni, faculty and staff, then vote in order to select the top 10 male and top 10 female students for the 1994-95 academic year. It is from the top 20 students that the outstanding male student and outstanding female student are selected.



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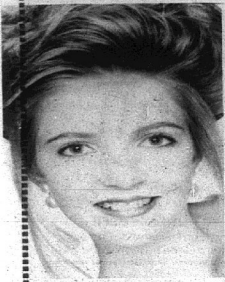
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This title will enable Stapleton to compete in the USA's Little Miss Illinois State Pageant, to be held in June in Champaign. Stapleton is 12 years old and a sixth grade student at Wilson Elementary School in Granite City. She is the daughter of Mary and Lisa Stapleton of Granite City and the granddaughter of the Rev. Bob and Peggy Jones of Granite City and George and Helen Stapleton of Marion. She is a modeling student of Rhonda Vest-Nolan.

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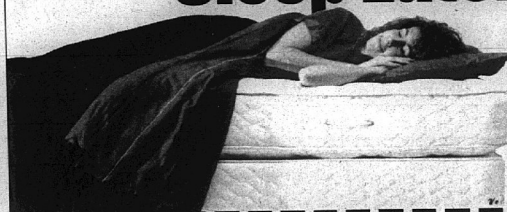
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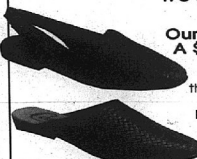
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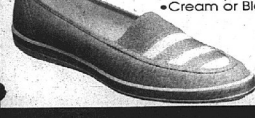
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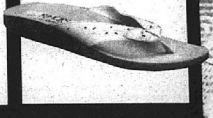
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Packet Pick-Up:
Begins at 7:00 a.m. and continues until 7:45
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Walk Notes:

1. A t-shirt will be given to all participants.
2. Shuttle service will be provided from
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Open House:
An open house will be conducted at
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Lucci back among Emmy nominees

After a year off when she wasn't even nominated, let the guessing game resume: Will this be Susan Lucci's year to win an Emmy? Conspicuously overlooked last year, the "All My Children" star is back among the nominees announced today for the 22nd Annual Daytime Emmy Awards. It is her 15th nomination. Fourteen losses have gone before.

Along with Lucci (for Outstanding Lead Actress in a Drama Series), the ABC soap landed 13 other nominations. That tied "All My Children" with ABC's "General Hospital" and CBS' "Guiding Light" for most nominations among all daytime programs.

PBS' "Sesame Street" was next, with 11. "The Young and the Restless" got nine. "As the World Turns" got 8, and the children's series "Beakman's World" got 7. All are on CBS.

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Horoscope

Wednesday, April 26
The excitement of new friendships is part of the day's scene. Discussion is stimulating the flow of ideas, especially ideas that are designed to solve problems. There's a sense that you really can do something to improve conditions in your life, your community and the world at large. At least one daring rescue story should enliven the evening news.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). The strength of your personality carries the day despite delays in progress, perhaps beginning with early-morning traffic. New friendships are formed in the wake of last-minute problems.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Consider taking on the burdens of a new project that could take some time to pay off. The drawbacks are obvious, but look into the distant future and you'll see this could be a big winner.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Luck looks good, but that's because you're friendly and cooperative. Humor gets you into the inner circles. Your social life is likely to be part of your success now — give advice to an old friend.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Put a little oomph into your decision-making because the rest of the week is not as propitious as today for concluding, signing and making agreements firm. The day improves as it goes along.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Frustration is possible in the morning, but stay patient because the afternoon brings important information. New friendships are part of the doorway to new success — be open-minded and willing to learn.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (April 26). Study, research and the right

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partner are your lucky charms. Update methods in May. Hard work in June loosens the cash flow in July, and bonus benefits pour in. Patience shown over the past two years pays off in August. Pride in creative accomplishment leaves you glowing in September. Marry in November. Your luckiest months are December and next January.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). A co-worker's aid can get in the way, and you were already a little late due to traffic jams — smile and say thanks, even if the well-meant interference slows your progress. By the evening, all is well.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). If you get off on the wrong foot with your mate at breakfast, wait until after lunch — then, make a short, sweet phone call of apology. New associates are difficult but worth the trouble.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Use your skills at discretion and staying in the background to stay out of workplace politics now. Understand the need for planning and thoroughness with details, and do your homework.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Lots of fun comes with those who have something new to show you — enjoy the stimulation of an open-minded discussion. True love may be on your mind — this could be the real thing.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Family members may be curious about your love life and may have opinions about how you're raising the kids. It's a powerful time for imaginative ventures — have some fun tonight.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Your ambitions for the future are strong — share them with other forward-thinking people. You'll be glad you did when you discover that sometimes two heads are better than one.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Fresh cash may create the temptation to go shopping — enjoy a look-see, but don't do much spending without planning carefully. Trying to increase your credit standing is a good idea, too.

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Some 300 students were honored in recognition of their achievements during the 1994-95 academic year. To be honored, an undergraduate student is required to carry a 3.2 cumulative grade average, while graduates are required to carry a 3.5 cumulative grade average.

Local undergraduate students who were honored include:

BELLEVILLE - David Barbeau, of chemistry; Marsha Brandmeyer, Jennifer Carter, Zara Choweller, Michael Cullop, Kara Delaney, and David Davinroy, all of biological sciences; Amy Fedak (Student Teaching Award in Mathematics), of mathematics and statistics; Jason Gehlbach, of physics; Eric Godsy, of biological sciences; David Griffith, of mathematics and statistics; Michael Hanks, of biological sciences; Michael Joyce (Ella Ott Weisman Award in Statistics), of mathematics and statistics; Michael Mehring and Holly Phegley, both of biological sciences; Lisa Richardson, of mathematics and statistics; Andrea Schmidt and Karen Smith, both of biological sciences; John Vior, of chemistry; Kristy Waeltz and Paul Waeltz, both of biological sciences and statistics.

CAHOKIA - Michael Machalek, of biological sciences.

CASEVILLE - Clint Baird (Organic Chemistry Student Award), of chemistry; Tammy Hall and Kelly Kosa, both of biological sciences.

COLLINSVILLE - Timothy Burgener and John Cacioppo (Ella Ott Weisman Award), both of computer science; Kathryn Dufford (Ella Ott Weisman Award), of chemistry; Deanna Roark, of mathematics and statistics; Jennifer Sehner, of mathematics and statistics; Kyle Smith, of physics; Layla Souers, of biological sciences; Brad Taylor, of mathematics and statistics; Rebecca Thompson, of biological sciences.

DUPO - Guy Arras (Outstanding Physics Student Award), of physics.

EAST ST. LOUIS - Proteon Boutte, of biological sciences; Cynthia VanNorman, of chemistry.

EDWARDSVILLE - Tricia Crossley, Kevin Diehl, and Renata Figueroa (Biology Senior Award), all of biological sciences; Tracy Floyd, of mathematics and statistics; Juhl Han, of biological sciences; Jeffrey Haskell (Outstanding Senior Award in Mathematics), of mathematics and statistics; Sherry Hays, Jill Heberer, Ramon Jones, Willette Jones, Stephanie Karst, and Nicole Lafond, all of biological sciences; Tamikia Mason, of mathematics and statistics; Sherri Meyer, Sharon Noll, and Rebecca Purcell, all of biological sciences; William Quinlan IV, of mathematics and statistics; Melinda Ruckman and Jennifer Shashak, both of biological sciences; Angela Spray (Outstanding Senior Chemistry Student), of chemistry; Kelly Thoroman, of mathematics and statistics.

FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS - Michael Hanks, of biological sciences; Andrew Martignoni III, of physics and mathematics and statistics; Lynne Miller (Outstanding Teaching Assistant) and Michael Miller, both of chemistry.

FREEBURG - Robert Conder, of computer science.

GLEN CARBON - Michael Bailey, Stephen Bailey, and Holland Bradshaw, all of biological sciences; Daniel Carpenter, of computer science; Carma Crabtree, of chemistry; Jamie DeConcini, of mathematics and statistics; Benjamin Lyles, of chemistry; Francis Sambar, of mathematics and statistics; Michael Weiler Jr., of computer science.

GRANITE CITY - Juhl Han, of biological sciences; Angela Jacobs, of mathematics and statistics; David Look, of physics; Gabriel Mitchell, of mathematics and statistics; Patrick, of physics; Charlene Pearson, of biological sciences; Maryann Siebes, of chemistry; Larry Wiegand, of mathematics and statistics.

LEBANON - Elizabeth Arentson (Biology Senior Award), of biological sciences.

MADISON - John Cawly (Ella Ott Weisman Award, Biology Senior Award, Donald G. Meyer Outstanding Student Award), of biological sciences.

MARYVILLE - Michele Wright, of chemistry.

MASCOUTAH - Laura Lueck, of biological sciences.

MORO - Sherrie McCormick, of mathematics and statistics.

NEW MEMPHIS - Elmer Rech, of chemistry.

O'FALLON - Jeffrey Calog (Outstanding Computer Science Student Award), of computer science; Amy Donner and Kristine Hahn, both of biological sciences; Bassam Rammaha, of chemistry; Cathy Roy, of mathematics and statistics.

SCOTT AIR FORCE BASE - Roxanne Henderson, Julie Polun, and David Speaks, all of biological sciences.

SHILOH - Betty Erhardt (Biology Senior Award, the Norman S. Davis Award), of biological sciences.

STAUNTON - Phillip Deist, of chemistry; Joshua Leckrone and Jeffrey Schaefer, both of biological sciences.

SWANSEA - Carmen Sesvold, of biological sciences.

TROY - Stephanie Judge, of chemistry; William Schaefer and Julia Sonnenberg, both of physics.

WATERLOO - Mark Buckley, of computer science; Richard McDermott (Ella Ott Weisman Award in Mathematics), of mathematics and statistics; David Lintz, of chemistry.

BELLEVILLE - Chris Bachman, of biological sciences; Peggy Burke, of mathematics and statistics; Angela Lueckenhans and Lynelle Millas, both of biological sciences; Carol Thelen, of environmental studies.

COLLINSVILLE - Linas Grybaitis, of biological sciences; David Johnson (Outstanding Mathematics and Statistics Student Award), of mathematics and statistics; Andrea Warren, of biological sciences.

EDWARDSVILLE - Sheron Anderson, of environmental studies; Bin Chu, of mathematics and statistics; Jeffrey Capps and Nancy Elie, both of biological sciences; Fred French, of physics; Richard Harmon, of mathematics and statistics; Gratches Hines, of biological sciences; Shu-Chung Huang, of mathematics and statistics; Betty Lawton, Ellen Luan, Paige Mettler-McClure, Michael Morrissey, and Denise Plunk, all of biological sciences; Joyce Ray (The Andrew O. Lindstrom Jr. Memorial Award), of mathematics and statistics; Robert Royak, of physics; Kenneth Shaw and Richard Solis, both of biological sciences.

FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS - James Powell, of biological sciences.

GLEN CARBON - Thomas Felner, of mathematics and statistics; William Klink, of biological sciences; Stacy McCance, of environmental studies.

GRANITE CITY - Brendan Baggot and James Moss, both of biological sciences; Jim Stout, of chemistry; Rhonda Tyler, of environmental studies; Michael Wesler, of mathematics and statistics.

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MILLSTADT - Angela Gambin, of biological sciences.

MORO - Dawn Yates, of biological sciences.

NEW ATHENS - Bruce Mueller, of chemistry.

O'FALLON - Stephen Knoebel, of mathematics and statistics; Stanley Danielson and Eric Nolte, both of environmental studies; Lisa Nolte, of biological sciences; Richman Ragsdale, of environmental studies.

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Food & Nutrition

Wise Ways

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Heart-y Bites

Biscotti appeals to Americans' love for sweet Italian food.

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Blue Ribbon Cook

Strawberries are a hit in muffins warm from the oven.

INSIDE

Private Label Test Run

Apricots have become a premium-priced fruit from the can. Tasters tried Flavorite apricots from Dierbergs to see whether they could save money while indulging taste buds.

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Micro Raves

From soup to a chocolate-and-nut combo, strawberries are a timely hit.

INSIDE

Lively Taste

Marinate meat strips or chunks in a teriyaki-style mixture, then weave on skewers with onion and bell pepper chunks. Combine 1/2 cup pineapple juice, 1/4 cup red wine vinegar, 1 tablespoon oil, 2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce, 1 tablespoon honey, 1 teaspoon ginger and 1/2 teaspoon garlic powder. Refrigerate beef or pork as long as overnight, chicken several hours, before grilling or broiling.

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Fresh Picks

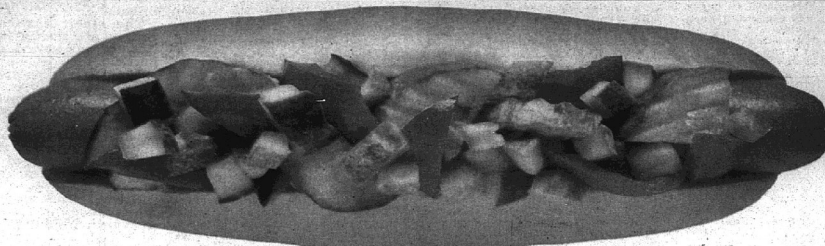
More 'winter' fruit now comes from South Africa. Like all seasons in the Southern Hemisphere, its harvests are reversed from ours, so fruit can arrive fresh and fresh-tasting from the fields and orchards. Black grapes — LaRoche and Barlinka are two varieties — are in some markets now, with Thompson seedless grapes. Pears and Granny Smith and royal gala apples will follow. The fruit's label with 'Cape' on it refers to the Cape of Good Hope.

Big Fat Tip

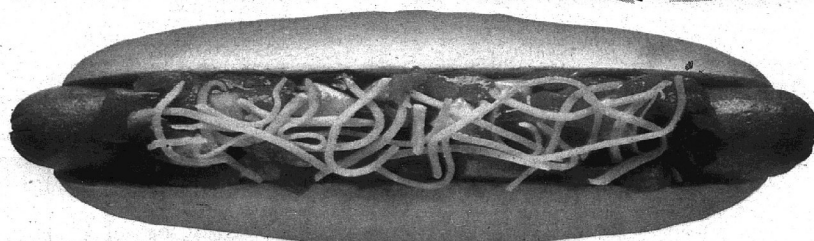
If an afternoon candy snack habit is unavoidable, answer with jelly beans, gumdrops, peppermints or other hard candy, rather than chocolate, with about 12 grams fat in a small candy bar. To avoid overeating any candy, take a small handful or set aside a planned amount, rather than leaving a candy bowl open. A snack of dried fruit sweetens the afternoon and gives a longer feeling of fullness.

Future Shop

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FAN FARE



Step up to bat with hot dogs the crowd will relish. Beyond mustard and ketchup, add toppings of, top to bottom, East-Side Relish, Southern Spice and Midwestern Garden.

By Janice Denham
Staff writer

When batters step up to the plate this week to open the baseball season, there will be no replacements for hot dogs.

Through strike or storm, hot dogs are reliable for their smoky aroma. Their dedicated flavor cannot be locked out at the ballpark or

at home. If they are plump and juicy, they never strike out with fans.

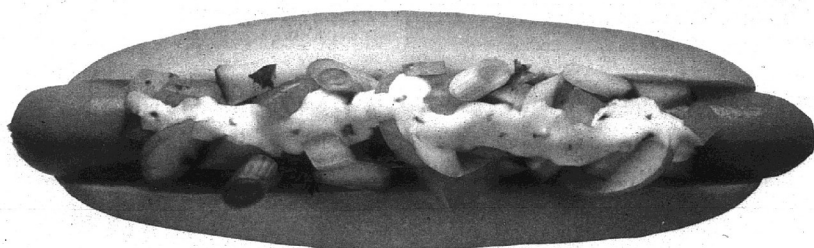
Frankly speaking, mustard and ketchup always are the first and second condiments to score on this sporting snack. This follows the findings of the Oscar Mayer Hotdoggers, who travel coast-to-coast in a Wienermobile.

Among the 3,722 Americans

they asked in one year, those were the two uniform choices for extras. The third varied by region. In the East, relish rated third. Frank eaters in the South preferred chili. The Midwest and West ranked onions third.

Vendors failed to note what

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Kide' Cuisine

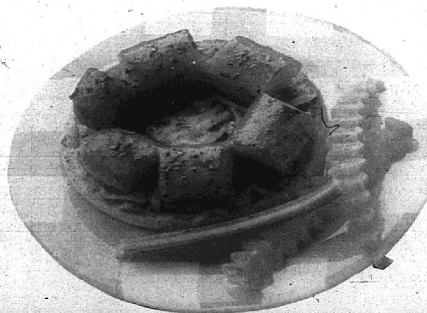
Pizza Franks

These grilled treats combine two children's favorites—hot dogs and pizza.

Carefully cut almost through franks with slits 3/4-inch apart. Grill 8 to 10 minutes, turning occasionally. Warm pizza sauce, with a little extra Italian seasoning if desired.

About 4 minutes before franks are done, grill split English muffins cut-side down on grid 2 to 3 minutes until toasted. For softer bun, use bottom half of hamburger bun and grill 1 to 2 minutes.

Spread cut side of muffin with sauce. Arrange hot curly frank on top. Sprinkle shredded mozzarella cheese on top and grill 1 to 2 minutes longer until cheese melts.



Today's Food

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Kids-turned-tasters like canned apricots

Lush and rich apricots are among life's indulgent fruits for many people, so *Suburban Journal* testers tried Flavorite canned apricot halves to see whether they could save money with the private label brand from Dierbergs.

Several said it was a favorite fruit when they were young. "Apricots have been a favorite of mine since I was a kid. These are as good as any. I really liked the texture, not too soft at all," a taster said. "This takes me back to my youth. It is a nice, sweet, fresh-tasting apricot," said another.

A 17-ounce can of Flavorite apricots costs \$1.19, compared to as much as

\$1.59 for national brands.

One tester said, "I remember less-expensive canned apricots that were hard, but these are nicely-colored, uniform in size. They seem to be a quality fruit, canned at the peak of their freshness."

The Flavorite brand follows the tradition of canning apricots in heavy syrup. Only very recently have become available in syrup with less sugar. The amount of sweetness came under scrutiny.

"The flavor of the apricot halves was good, not too sweet, not too bitter," said one taster, while another who normally eats fruit without extra sugar felt the syrup was slightly sweet for her tastes.

Micro Raves

Strawberry season around corner

Working with the folks from Driscoll strawberries is one of those tough jobs. For me, it is like getting paid to eat chocolate.

Strawberries taste great and grow well in our area. We are coming into May and June, their peak season.

Strawberries are a delicate fruit. They are high in carbohydrates, sugars, fiber, water, vitamin C and contain some acid, vitamin A and minerals. Like many fruits, they are high in sugar and water, so strawberries microwave fast and easily.

In fact, they cook so quickly that they heat as they cook. In other words, when they're warm, they're done. When they are hot they get soggy, which is overcooking, because when the microwaves are turned off, they continue to cook during standing time.

Cut strawberries the same size and stir them several times when cooking to even out the heating and prevent overcooking. Using a lower power level helps achieve this.

For instance, traditional Strawberry Sauce has both strawberries and chocolate — cooking squares or leftover "bunny" works — cooked on medium power less than a

minute. The other less-traditional recipes are among my favorites for microwaving strawberries.

The first, a recipe developed by fellow "Micro Raves" writer Barb Gray, appears in "Microwaving America's Favorites" cookbook.

My son begs for the pasta specialty, developed for last year's Driscoll strawberries tour.

Home economist Kathy Hanewinkel specializes in microwave cooking.

STRAWBERRY SAUTE

- 2 tbsp. butter or margarine
- 1/4 cup coarsely chopped walnuts
- 2 tbsp. dark brown sugar
- 2 cups strawberries, halved or quartered
- 1/4 cup grated chocolate
- 1/4 cup coarsely crumbled vanilla wafers

In 1-quart casserole, warm butter on high power about 30 seconds until melted. Add walnuts and brown sugar. Saute 2 minutes on high power. Stir in chocolate and straw-

berries. Microwave 30 seconds on medium (50 percent) power until chocolate is melted.

Add cookies. Spoon over ice cream or cheesecake.

BARB GRAY'S STRAWBERRY SOUP

- 1 qt. ripe strawberries, washed, hulled
- 2 tbsp. lemon juice
- 1 1/2 cups hot water
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 tsp. quick-cooking tapioca
- 1/2 cup sweet white wine
- Dairy sour cream or yogurt, if desired

In food processor or blender, process strawberries and lemon juice until smooth. Pour into 2-quart casserole. Stir in hot water, sugar and tapioca.

Microwave, covered, on medium-high (70 percent) power 12 to 17 minutes until tapioca is translucent, stirring 2 or 3 times. Stir in wine.

Chill at least 4 hours. Garnish with dollop of sour cream. Serve very cold as first-course soup.

Makes 6 to 8 small servings.

ANGEL HAIR PASTA WITH STRAWBERRY SAUCE

- 4 oz. uncooked angel hair pasta
- 1 cup thinly sliced strawberries
- 1/2 cup dark brown sugar
- 3/4 cup heavy cream
- 2 tbsp. chopped hazelnuts (filberts)

Cook pasta as package directs. Drain. Keep warm. Toss strawberries with 2 tablespoons brown sugar.

In microwave-safe bowl, microwave heavy cream and remaining brown sugar on medium-high (70 percent) power until mixture boils, stirring once or twice.

Continue to heat 2 to 5 minutes until mixture is reduced. Stir mixture occasionally to check for smoothness and thickness.

Sugar will be dissolved and mixture smooth and light brown in color. Stir in warm pasta. Toss. Spoon over strawberries. Sprinkle with nuts.

Blue Ribbon Cook

Berry muffins win; Italian recipes due

Mildred Fuller, Chesterfield, is this week's winner of dinner certificates to the Pasta House Co. for Very Berry Muffins.

Just like people become Irish for St. Patrick's Day, many people turn Italian when it is time to eat. Weekly winners on the five Wednesdays in May will be taken from entries in the Italian Recipe Contest, which should be postmarked by Sunday, April 30. Send in a recipe for any type of dish —

main dish, appetizer or dessert — that stems from the Italian cooking soul.

A single entry to the contest should be sent to: Italian Recipe Contest, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

VERY BERRY MUFFINS

- 1/2 cup plus 2 tbsp. packed brown sugar

- 1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter or margarine, melted
- 1 egg
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1/2 cup buttermilk
- 3/4 cup diced strawberries
- 1/2 cup fresh or frozen blueberries

- 1 1/4 cups flour
- 1/2 tsp. baking soda
- 1/2 tsp. baking powder
- 1/4 tsp. salt

Topping: Preheat oven to 425°. Coat

muffin cups with nonstick cooking spray.

Combine brown sugar, melted butter, egg, vanilla and buttermilk. Stir in combined flour, baking soda, baking powder and salt until just mixed. Stir in strawberries and blueberries without overmixing.

Pour batter into prepared muffin cups. Press Topping onto batter. Bake in preheated oven 15 to 20 minutes.

PERFECT PARMESAN SAUCE

- 1/2 cup finely chopped onion
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 2 tsp. margarine
- 2 tbsp. flour
- 1/2 cup skim-fat, low-sodium chicken broth
- 1/2 cup skim milk
- 1 1/4 tsp. dried leaf basil
- 3 tbsp. parmesan cheese.

Saute onion and garlic in margarine. Stir in flour until blended. Gradually whisk in milk, broth and 1/4 teaspoon basil. Cook, stirring constantly, until slightly thickened.

peno pepper. Top heated hot dogs on buns with pepper mixture. Makes 1 1/2 cups topping.

EAST-SIDE RELISH

- 1 pkg. (16 oz.) hot dogs
- 2 kosher dill pickle spears
- 1/2 cup bread 'n' butter pickles
- 4 pickled cherry peppers, seeded
- 1 tbsp. herb or white wine vinegar
- Spicy brown mustard, if desired

Coarsely chop pickles and peppers. Mix with vinegar. Top heated hot dogs with pickle mixture and mustard.

Wise Ways

Sauces focus new flavor on array of familiar foods

Canned sauces have mushroomed since the days when tomato sauce stood alone on a grocer's shelf. "Plain-Jane" gravies and spaghetti sauce are squeezed by more exotic newcomers, like stroganoff mushroom and chicken parmesanne.

Sauces add flavor and interest to simple grilled or sauteed meats like chicken breast, pork tenderloin and beef sirloin. Prices vary from \$1.85 to almost \$3 per can or jar, depending on store and brand. With about five servings per container, these sauces add an average of 49 cents per serving to the cost of a meal.

Poured over 1 1/2 to 2 pounds of meat, as the label directs, each 1/2-cup serving of these sauces adds 110 to 120 calories and 8 to 10 grams fat.

A quick scan of ingredients turns up cream and sour cream in some of them, obvious sources for most fat grams and calories. Sodium weighs in at a hefty 670 to 750 milligrams per serving, or 29 to 33 percent of the total recommended sodium intake for an entire day. This clue indicates the sauces are flavored more with salt than herbs.

The American Institute for Cancer Research offers suggestions for easy, healthy

alternatives to transform simple foods into simply delicious meals:

• Stir salsa into rice and couscous, or spoon it over chicken and fish.

• Sprinkle balsamic, rice wine or fruit-flavored vinegar on vegetables.

• Combine spicy mustard and honey to baste poultry or pork.

• Use low-fat salad dressing to marinate meat.

• Blend equal portions of salsa and nonfat yogurt and season with cilantro. Use this simple sauce to dress up salad greens, fish or chicken.

Both Honey Barbecue Sauce and Perfect Parmesan

Sauce are a snap to prepare. Ingredients add lots of flavor, but little fat or sodium. Low-sodium soy sauce, low-fat and low-sodium chicken broth and skim milk are staples to keep on hand to make healthy meals with easy sauces.

Registered dietitian Linda Blumenberg is nutrition specialist for University Extension (University of Missouri system) in Montgomery County.

HONEY BARBECUE SAUCE

- 1/4 cup minced onion

- 2 tbsp. coriander (dried cilantro)
- 4 tbsp. honey
- 1/2 tsp. black pepper
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1/4 tsp. cayenne pepper
- 1/2 cup lemon juice
- 1/2 cup low-sodium soy sauce

Combine onion, coriander, honey, black and cayenne pepper, garlic, lemon juice and soy sauce.

Use as marinade or basting sauce for chicken or pork.

MIDWESTERN GARDEN

- 1 pkg. (16 oz.) deli-style hot dogs
- 1 small cucumber, seeded, chopped
- 1 small tomato, chopped
- 2 radishes, thinly sliced
- 2 green onions, sliced
- 1/4 cup fresh parsley
- Ranch salad dressing

Mix cucumber, tomato, radish, onion and parsley.

Top heated hot dogs on buns with vegetable mixture. Drizzle with dressing. Makes 2 cups topping.

SOUTHERN SPICE

- 1 pkg. (16 oz.) hot dogs, spicy-flavored if available
- 1/2 cup chunky salsa
- 1/2 cup barbecue sauce
- 1 small onion, chopped
- 1/2 cup (2 oz.) shredded cheddar cheese

In small saucepan or microwave oven, warm salsa and barbecue sauce until heated through.

Top hot dogs in buns with salsa mixture and onion. Sprinkle with cheese.

Makes 1 cup topping.

WESTERN ROAST

- 1 pkg. (16 oz.) hot dogs
- 3 bell peppers, roasted, peeled, seeded
- 1/4 cup chopped red onion
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 fresh jalapeno pepper, seeded, finely chopped

To roast peppers, broil on rack 4 inches from heat, turning often, about 20 minutes until blackened on all sides. Transfer peppers to paper bag and close bag. Peel peppers when cool enough to handle.

Slice pepper in strips. Mix with onion, garlic and jal-

Fan Fare

Continued from page 1C. what Babe Ruth ate on his hot dogs the day he downed 12 of them and guzzled 8 bottles of soda between games of a doubleheader.

Rory Schneider, operations manager for Sportservice at Busch Stadium, says requests for hot dog go-withs put onions first after mustard, ketchup and sweet pickle relish. Grilled fresh onion is available at the seven vendors that offer kosher frankfurters.

Atmosphere makes that ballpark hot dog taste good, but Midwesterners know what they want beyond that. "St. Louis prefers a grilled product. Boiled or steamed doesn't sell here. We sell

about a thousand pounds of hot dogs a game," he says.

"We utilize a flat-top grill with medium heat and move them around a lot to put lines on the hot dog. People don't like the roller or the lower-temp grill as well," he says.

At the ballpark cooks start with an all-beef frankfurter — Hunter currently — and avoid overcooking it. This is the first year a hot dog with 50 percent less fat will be offered.

Today's hot dog is all-American, in spite of its Germanic origins. To offer it with regional taste, run around the U.S. with one of these easy-to-make toppings.

Today's Food

Simple steps for mixing cake yield sweet results

Forget the elaborate multi-layered cake as a production of the expert baker. At its most basic, a cake made from scratch is not much more difficult than one that uses a mix. Besides, it offers endless possibilities for dressing up to fit a special occasion.

There are three parts to the easy mixing to produce a tender, flavorful, high-volume cake.

• A hand mixer beats butter, margarine or shortening with the sugar and any flavoring in a large bowl until light and creamy. This incorporates air into the batter to increase a cake's volume.

• Beat in eggs one at a time to add air and inflate volume.

• Add combined dry ingredients alternately with milk or other liquid for the fastest way to complete mixing without overmixing. Overmixing toughens a cake.

If a finish is desired, a one-layer cake served from the pan can be frosted, glazed, covered with a broiled topping or sprinkled with confectioner's sugar. It can be served plain with a scoop of ice cream, fresh fruit or spoonful of whipped cream. Cakes baked in a plain or fluted tube pan frequently are drizzled with a glaze.

A lemony glaze, fresh mint leaves and lemon slices simply dress up Lemon-Poppy Seed Oat Cake. It uses basic ingredients, including uncooked oats for hearty texture and improved keeping quality by attracting moisture. For a simple alternative to the lemon glaze, lightly sift or sprinkle confectioner's sugar over the top of the cake just before serving.

Covered, this cake stays moist a day or two at room temperature. For longer storage, wrap tightly and freeze. Because it makes many servings, individual slices can be refrigerated several days or frozen for later serving or to pack in lunches.

LEMON-POPPY SEED OAT CAKE

- 1 cup sugar
- ¾ cup (1½ sticks) margarine or butter, softened
- 1 tbsp. grated lemon peel
- 3 eggs
- ¾ cup flour
- 1½ cups uncooked oats
- 3 cups poppy seeds
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- ½ tsp. baking soda

½ tsp. salt, if desired
1½ cups milk
Glaze

Preheat oven to 350°. Grease and flour 12-cup or 10-inch tube pan.

In large bowl, using medium speed of electric mixer, beat sugar and margarine until fluffy. Add lemon peel. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each.

Combine flour, oats, poppy seeds, baking powder, baking soda and salt. Add one-third dry ingredients to margarine mixture. Mix until blended. Add half the milk. Mix until blended. Continue adding remaining dry ingredients and milk alternately, blending after each addition.

Pour batter into prepared pan. Bake in preheated oven 35 to 45 minutes until wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean.

Cool 10 minutes. Remove from pan. Cool completely on wire rack. Drizzle Glaze over cooled cake. Store, tightly covered, at room temperature.

Glaze: Mix 1 cup confectioner's sugar, 4 to 5 teaspoons lemon juice and ½ teaspoon grated lemon peel until smooth. Makes 16 servings.



Moist and tender Lemon Poppy Seed Oat Cake uses basic ingredients in a simple mix-and-bake procedure. Adding a lemon glaze and fresh flowers helps it become elegant enough for the fanciest occasion.

Fresh Picks

American kitchens explore fresh and juicy grapes

Big black grapes from the Southern Hemisphere are among the produce section's juiciest and tastiest treats now. Perfect for eating out of hand, they also give a delicious new twist to standard fare.

These glorious grapes come primarily from South Africa. Most of the black grapes have been developed with a few seeds intact to hold in flavor, although varieties differ.

Take a tip from the French and transform roast chicken

into a sublime main dish. The tang of lime and garlic pairs well with the natural sweetness of black grapes in this tasty dish with family appeal. Chicken is marinated first, then baked in the oven until almost done. Basting with soy-honey mixture and a sprinkle of sesame seeds adds an Oriental touch. Succulent grapes are added in the final minutes.

Spinach salad flourishes in the spring. This version adds bacon, grapes and cheddar

cheese to become a main-course luncheon or light supper salad.

Crepe brulee stars as a spectacular dessert in restaurants, but it is easy to feature at home, too. Invite friends to share fresh grapes topped with the rich and creamy custard. A crunchy brown sugar topping can be sprinkled on top and broiled until golden, or grapes can be arranged in large wine glasses, custard spooned on top and mint added for garnish.

LIME AND HONEY ROASTED CHICKEN

- 6 serving-size pieces chicken, such as legs and breasts
- Grated rind and juice of 1 large lime
- Salt and pepper
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 cups black grapes, halved, seeded
- ¼ cup honey
- 1 tsp. sesame seeds

In large bowl, combine lime rind and juice and garlic. Add chicken. Refrigerate 1 hour or up to overnight.

Preheat oven to 375°. In large shallow roasting pan, arrange chicken in single layer. Season with salt and pepper. Roast, uncovered, in preheated oven 45 minutes. Remove chicken from oven. Pour off pan juices.

Add grapes to pan. In small bowl, combine honey and soy sauce. Spoon over chicken. Sprinkle with sesame seeds. Return to oven, basting occasionally with sauce, 15 minutes longer or until chicken is glazed. Makes 6 servings.

BACON-SPINACH SALAD WITH GRAPES

- 1 large bunch spinach (8 cups packed), washed, stemmed
- 4 to 6 slices bacon
- 1 small red onion, diced
- 2 cloves garlic, minced

- 1 tbsp. Dijon mustard
- 2 tbsp. cider vinegar
- ¼ cup olive oil
- 1 cup black grapes, halved, seeded
- ¾ cup aged cheddar cheese, cut in small cubes
- Salt and black pepper

In large skillet over medium heat, cook bacon until crisp. Drain and cool on paper towels. Crumble.

Drain all but 1 tablespoon bacon drippings from skillet. Return skillet to heat. Cook onion and garlic, stirring, 2 minutes or until softened.

Remove from heat. Stir in vinegar and mustard until smooth. Add oil and grapes. Return skillet to heat. Cook and stir until almost boiling.

In large salad bowl, immediately pour dressing over spinach. Toss gently. Sprinkle with reserved bacon and cheese. Season with salt, if necessary, and generous amount of pepper. Divide among salad plates. Serve immediately. Makes 4 servings.

GRAPE CREME BRULEE

- ½ cup granulated sugar
- 2 tbsp. cornstarch
- 1 cup milk
- 3 egg yolks
- 2 tsp. orange- or almond-flavored liqueur
- ½ cup heavy cream, whipped until almost boiling
- 3 cups black grapes, halved, seeded

About ¼ cup packed light brown sugar or fresh mint sprigs, if desired.

In small saucepan, combine granulated sugar and

cornstarch. Whisk in milk, then egg yolks until smooth. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until custard comes to boil and thickens.

Transfer custard to bowl. Stir in liqueur. Let cool slightly. Cover surface with plastic wrap. Refrigerate about 2 hours until cold.

Whisk custard until smooth. Gently fold in whipped cream.

Arrange grapes in lightly-buttered shallow baking dish. Spoon custard evenly over top. Press brown sugar through medium-meshed sieve over surface of custard until evenly coated with the sugar. Use more sugar, if needed.

Broil about 5 inches from heat 1 to 2 minutes until sugar melts; watch carefully to prevent burning.

FROZEN FRUIT AND CHEESE SALAD

- 2 cups cottage cheese
- 3 cups nonfat sour cream
- 3 tbsp. confectioner's sugar
- 1 can (13½ oz.) pineapple tidbits, well drained
- 1 cup chopped orange sections
- 1 cup chopped strawberries

- 1 large banana, sliced
- ½ cup sliced maraschino cherries
- ½ cup sliced almonds, toasted
- 2 tbsp. maraschino cherry juice

Salad greens

In large mixing bowl, whip cottage cheese until almost smooth. Lightly blend in 2 cups sour cream and sugar. Fold in pineapple, orange, strawberries, banana, cherries and almonds.

Spread cheese mixture in 9-inch square pan. Cover with plastic wrap or aluminum foil. Freeze until firm.

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Today's Food

Good Health

By MELANIE POLK

Snacks perk up productivity

Even federal budget balancers concede that \$13 billion is a lot of money. That is how much Americans spend each year on snacks.

If this amount went toward nutritious food to fuel a hungry population, it probably would be money well spent. Unfortunately, many snacks are non-nutritious, high-fat and high-calorie treats people eat out of habit or boredom rather than real physical hunger.

Snacking does not need to be a source of guilt. Snacks that complement regular meals keep a person more alert and productive. They even help keep weight under control by avoiding a "famished" feel and losing control when mealtime arrives.

The key to successful snacking is to skip the candy, chips, cookies and other typical snack foods or eat them only occasionally. Instead, snack on "meal-type" foods, such as fresh fruits, vegetable soup, low-fat yogurt, or snack-size cans of tuna. If traditional snack foods are what really count, look to healthier ones, like pretzels, ginger snaps, flavored rice cakes, animal crackers, popcorn (air-popped and unbuttered) or bread sticks.

To instill snacking discipline, start at the supermarket by making wise choices. If potato chips are not in the cupboard, they will not be eaten. Consider stocking granola crackers or saltines instead.

Do not rely on vending machines at an office or school to provide wholesome snacks. Bring them from



A fruity-sweet, hearty muffin is a fill'er-up snack with a healthy impression.

home. A survey of vending machine purchases revealed that of the 60 favorite selections, only three were not extremely high in fat or sugar.

Pack a container of nonfat pudding, applesauce, some carrot sticks, or a serving-size box of raisin bran for a filling, but low-fat snack. If baked goods are a "must," pick a bagel instead of a doughnut or make a treat, like Tropical Muffins, to eat at home or bring along for a snack on the run, where fruits contribute sweet flavor.

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TROPICAL MUFFINS

- 2 cups whole wheat flour (half can be all-purpose flour)
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- 2 tsp. cinnamon
- 2 tsp. grated orange peel
- 1/2 tsp. cloves
- 1 egg
- 1/2 cup orange or pineapple juice
- 3/4 cup skim milk
- 1/4 cup unsweetened applesauce
- 1/4 cup honey
- 1/2 cup mashed banana

- (about 1 medium)
- 1 can (8 oz.) crushed pineapple in juice (or bits), drained (a little more than 1/2 cup)

Preheat oven to 400°. Lightly oil muffin pans. In large bowl, combine flour, baking powder, cinnamon and orange peel.

In separate bowl, mix egg, juice, milk, applesauce and honey. Add banana and pineapple. Mix with dry ingredients, using as few strokes as possible.

Spoon batter into prepared muffin cups. Bake in preheated oven 20 to 25 minutes until muffins are golden brown.

Recipe

QUICK-GLAZED PORK BURGERS

- 1 lb. unseasoned ground pork
- 1/2 cup finely chopped water chestnuts
- 2 tbsp. finely chopped green onion
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- Pinch pepper
- 2 tbsp. sweet-and-sour, teriyaki or barbecue sauce

Combine pork, water chestnuts, green onion, salt and pepper, mixing lightly but

thoroughly. Shape into 4 patties, each about 1/2-inch thick.

In heavy skillet, cook patties over medium heat 5 minutes.

Turn and cook 5 minutes, pouring off drippings as they accumulate.

Turn patties. Brush lightly with glaze.

Continue cooking 3 minutes or to desired doneness.

Serve on lettuce rafts or bread of choice.

Makes 4 servings; 275 calories, 80 mg cholesterol, 18 g fat, 25 g protein and 363 mg sodium each.

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Recipe

CURRIED VEGETABLES BOMBAY

1 tbs. butter or margarine
1 tbs. oil
1 medium onion, chopped
1 clove garlic, minced
1 lb. broccoli, cut up
3 medium carrots, cut up
1 1/2 cups cut-up cauliflower
1/2 cup hot water
2 tsp. or more curry

powder
1/2 tsp. ginger
1/2 tsp. cardamom
1/2 cup coconut
1/4 cup crunchy peanut butter
1 can (10 oz.) low-sodium beef broth
Hot cooked rice
1/2 cup chopped peanuts
1/2 cup raisins

In large saucepan, heat butter and oil. Over medium heat, saute onion and garlic until golden.

Add broccoli, carrots and cauliflower. Heat and toss 2 minutes.
In bowl, blend together hot water, curry, ginger, cardamom, 1/4 cup coconut, peanut butter and broth.
Add to vegetables. Cover. Bring to boil. Reduce heat. Simmer 15 minutes until vegetables are tender.
Serve over rice.
Top with remaining 1/4 cup coconut, raisins and peanuts. Makes 8 servings.

Recipe

SUNNY VEGETARIAN SANDWICH

1/2 cup low-fat cottage cheese
1 tsp. lemon juice
1 small clove garlic, minced
3 to 4 drops pepper sauce, or to taste
Salt and pepper, if desired
4 slices whole wheat bread
1/2 cup walnut pieces
1 small zucchini, very thinly sliced
1 carrot, very thinly sliced
1/2 cup alfalfa sprouts
4 slices tomato

In small bowl, blend cottage cheese, lemon juice and garlic until smooth. Season with pepper sauce, salt and pepper.

Spread each slice of bread with one-fourth mixture. Sprinkle walnuts on top of cottage cheese on 2 slices bread.

Divide zucchini and carrot equally on top of walnuts, then top vegetable slices with half the sprouts and 2 slices tomato each. Top with other slices of bread.
Cut in half diagonally.

Makes 2 servings; 385 calories, 13 g fat, 1 mg cholesterol, 14 g protein, 62 g carbohydrate and 495 mg sodium each.

Heart-y Bites

U.S. dips Italian cookie into its food adoption plan

By BARB HAAS

Americans love to love Italians' favorite foods. The newest one is delectable biscotti (pronounced bis-COTT-ee, as in biscuit). The name means "twice-baked," a procedure which makes the cookie hard and crisp.

Italians have enjoyed biscotti since the 13th century, but only now is gaining a foothold by Americans' coffee cups. They can be bought by the cookie or package in select coffee shops, bakeries and department stores, or baked at home.

Often flavored with almond, lemon, chocolate and cappuccino, hard biscotti are intended for dipping into a beverage, like low-fat or nonfat milk, wine or coffee. They are excellent for a person who likes to end a meal with a not-so-sweet treat. As a snack it is an excellent choice over high-fat choices.

However, not all biscotti are created equal. Biscotti with chocolate chunks or coatings and lots of nuts have an expectedly high amount of fat.

This recipe for Chocolate Almond Biscotti has been changed to reduce its fat, yet still uses nuts for a touch of

almond flavor. The original version yields a cookie with 130 calories and 7 grams fat, compared to this one with 70 calories and 1 gram fat.

Store biscotti in an airtight container one week or freeze up to one month. Strong coffee or a sweet, fruity wine are among its effective dunking companions.

The monthly presentation of "I Love Eating" classes will feature John Boglicki of the St. Louis Chiefs de Cuisine on Sunday, May 7, at the "Sons of Rest" gazebo in Tower Grove Park, 4255 Arsenal St. at Grand Boulevard. Music will begin at 1:30 p.m., with the grilling presentation from 2 to 3:30 p.m. For reservations for this class or information about other classes, call 45-HEART.

Registered dietitian Barb Haas is a member of the nutrition committee of the American Heart Association, St. Louis Chapter.

CHOCOLATE ALMOND BISCOTTI

2 cups flour

1 cup sugar
1/2 cup cocoa
1 tsp. baking soda
1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 cup silverside almonds
1/2 tsp. vanilla
1/2 tsp. almond extract
1/2 cup yolk-free egg product

Preheat oven to 350° Coat baking sheet with nonstick cooking spray.

In large bowl, combine flour, sugar, cocoa, baking soda, salt and almonds.

In small bowl, combine vanilla and almond extracts and egg product. Add to flour mixture, stirring until well blended. Dough will be dry.

On lightly floured surface, knead dough 8 or 9 times. Shape into 16-inch roll. Place on prepared baking sheet. Flatten roll until 1-inch thick.

Bake in preheated oven 30 to 35 minutes until slightly firm to the touch. Remove from baking sheet. Reduce oven to 325°. Cool log 10 minutes on wire rack.

Slice log 1/2-inch thick. Place slices cut-side down on same baking sheet. Bake 10 minutes. Turn over cookies. Bake 10 minutes longer.

Remove cookies from baking sheet to cool completely on wire rack.

Recipe

POTATO VEGETABLE MEDLEY

1/2 cup chopped onion
3 slices cooked ham, chopped
1 tbs. margarine
2 cups quartered small red potatoes
1/2 cup water
1 pkg. (10 oz.) frozen kernel corn, thawed

drained
1 cup broccoli florets
Pinch pepper

In medium saucepan, cook and stir onion and ham in hot margarine 2 minutes or until onion is tender.

Add potatoes and water. Cook, covered, over medium-high heat 10 minutes or until potatoes are almost tender.

Stir in corn, broccoli and pepper. Cover.

Continue cooking 3 minutes or until thoroughly heated.

Microwave directions: In 1 1/2-quart microwave-safe casserole, microwave onion, ham, spread, potatoes and water, covered, on high power 8 to 10 minutes, stirring after 4 minutes.

Stir in corn, broccoli and pepper.

Microwave, covered, on high 4 to 6 minutes until vegetables are tender-crisp.

Tips on planting and caring for Tasty Herbs

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Many years ago, home-grown herbs were a widely-accepted cure for headaches and a few other ailments. They were also used as dyes and perfumes. Of course that was during the days when a trip to the local pharmacy for such things was difficult if not impossible. But herbs are still popular today. They're widely used to add zest to a number of dishes.

Herbs are very easy to grow. They make great additions to any vegetable garden, and many of them are good companions for vegetable plants. Some are even said to ward off certain pests. Colorful and fragrant herbs, like chamomile, lavender and hyssop, add beauty to flower gardens.

If you're interested in adding these flavorful goodies to your garden, Frank's experts have some tips.

Herbs, like vegetables, need full sun for at least six hours every day. Sunlight helps leaves produce the desired flavorful and fragrant oils. Most herbs aren't fussy about soil as long as it's well-drained. Mints, parsley and catnip are exceptions and do well in moist areas and partial shade. Herbs are also great for growing in containers.

Planting Tips

• Once established, most herbs tolerate dryness. But for best growth, water plants during dry periods.

• Apply moderate amounts of plant food; overfeeding causes low oil content in leaves.

• Mulch the ground to keep the soil moist and block out weeds.

• During winter, protect perennial herbs, such as lavender, rosemary and tarragon, with a covering of straw, pine bark or evergreen boughs.

• Removing portions of stems (pinching) in spring and summer keeps herb plants compact and bushy. Begin pinching when plants are six inches tall and continue to do so after every four to six inches of new growth.

To preserve and protect the flavor and fragrance of herbs, follow these tips.

• Harvest leafy herbs just before the flower buds open, when they are most flavorful.

• Pick herbs on dry, sunny mornings just after the dew has dried.

• Trim off sprigs on perennial herbs like tarragon and rosemary three or four times during the growing season. Remove only one-third of the leafy growth at any one time, leaving enough foliage to produce future crops and still allow the plant to survive winter.

• Always harvest seed when it is fully mature; the color usually changes from green to brown.

• After harvesting, rinse herbs in water to remove any soil or debris, and gently pat them dry with a paper towel.

• To keep herbs flavorful, always dry them in a warm, well-ventilated area out of direct sunlight.

• To dry long-stemmed herbs, tie them together and hang upside down.

• Dry seeds, flowers and sprigs on a flat screen that is slightly raised.

Proper storage is also necessary. Read on.

• Always store herbs in airtight containers such as cans or glass jars. Cardboard or paper bags absorb oils and shouldn't be used.

• Keep storage containers away from light, moisture and heat.

• Some leafy herbs like parsley, basil and mint can be frozen. Harvest leaves, rinse them with water and pat dry. Promptly place the leaves in plastic bags and freeze them.

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Ralston offers program for high school seniors

By Doris Hanrahan
Staff writer

Area high school seniors will have a chance next fall to participate in a work study program with one of St. Louis' largest companies. Ralston Purina Company, working in partnership with the Madison County Regional Vocational Education System, will offer students job training and the opportunity for possible job placement at Ralston after graduation.

This will be the first time Illinois students will be able to participate in the program, which has been available to students of St. Louis City schools since 1988.

System Director Jim Evisizer, of MCRVES, said the objectives of the work study program are to prepare the student for successful integration into the work world and instill positive work attitudes.

Other objectives are to develop and refine skills necessary for employment and provide a meaningful academic experience.

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Tauck tours offer leisurely travels

Peter Tauck brought his vacation pictures to the Kirkwood Community Center last week and spent two hours regaling his guests about his travels.

But Tauck isn't just any vacationer. He's the general manager of Tauck Tours, a worldwide travel experience provider that is arranging the 13-day Hawaii Adventure Tour being sponsored by the Suburban Journals and Altair Travel and Cruises. The Hawaiian tour departs on Oct. 17.

Last week's "Tauck show" in Kirkwood gave prospective tour members an insight to the Tauck Tours travel philosophy.

The company was started by Peter Tauck's grandfather 75 years ago.

One of the hallmarks of a Tauck Tour is the a la carte dining policy.

"My grandfather always said that he ate whatever he wanted when he was traveling and insisted on allowing his guests to do the same thing," Tauck said.

On Tauck tours guests can order whatever food they want and just sign the bills over to the company.

Another feature of the Tauck Tour experience is the all-inclusive tour package.

All expenses are included in the initial package price, including air fare, hotel room, food, side trips, excursions and other incidental fees.

"We stress the personal side of the travel business and tour at a more leisurely pace," Tauck said. "There are no 6 a.m. buses. There are no name tags. And there is lots of personal time."

Travel from place to place within a destination usually is limited to three or four hours a day with two to three days spent at each location.

With the Suburban Journals' Hawaii Adventure, trips to four of the Hawaiian Islands are stretched over 13 days. Tour members will visit Oahu, Kauai, Hawaii and Maui. The fully escorted visit includes three-night stays on each island.

Hotel accommodations include the Royal Hawaiian Hotel in Honolulu; the Hyatt Regency in Popo Beach, Kauai; the Hapuna Beach Prince Hotel in Kapaeha, Hawaii; and the Hyatt Regency Maui in Kaaanapali Beach, Maui.

Guests will visit the top of the 10,223-foot Mt. Haleakala volcano and will view Waimea Canyon on Kauai by helicopter. There also is a trip to the historical city of Refuge and the harbor-side village of Kailua.

On Maui, the peaceful Iao Valley is hidden among towering peaks that are known as the Yosemite of the Pacific. Travelers motor through pineapple fields en route to Hawaii's first capital, Lahaina.

The Hawaii Adventure tour also includes the non-stop flight from St. Louis.

The Hawaii trip is just the first of several Suburban Journals and Altair Travel and Cruises tours to come.

To learn more about the Hawaii Adventure, or to receive a brochure that explains every aspect of the trip, call 968-9600.

By Bill Hunot
Social Security Administration

Q. I want to know if Social Security is mandatory. I would like to stop paying my Social Security taxes and fend for my own retirement when I get old. How do I go about doing this?

A. As you might guess, receiving Social Security benefits is not mandatory. You won't receive Social Security unless you voluntarily apply for benefits when you become eligible.

Paying Social Security taxes, on the other hand, is mandatory. Unless specifically exempted by law, every worker in the United States is required to pay Social Security taxes on his or her earnings from work.

As regular readers of this column know, there are exceptions to almost every law in the Social Security Act. There are two exceptions to this one.

Ministers can be exempted from paying Social Security taxes on their earnings as a minister if they conscientiously oppose government benefit programs because of individual religious beliefs or the principles of their religion.

Interested ministers should call the Internal Revenue Service and ask for Form 4361, Application for Exemption from Self-Employment Tax for Use by Ministers. Usually, Form 4361 must be filed with the

Take 'em out to ballgame at home

By Jane Cosby
Correspondent

While the jester of professional baseball is tainted by strikes and walk-outs, movies about the great sport carry on the tradition.

"Angels in the Outfield" is a baseball fairy tale about a foster child "from a family that likes losers."

The boy loves the California Angels, a team that plays baseball like the Three Stooges, and prays desperately for his team to win the pennant. In true fairy tale fashion, his prayers are answered by real angels.

Danny Glover gives an enjoyable performance as the bitter, angry manager of the team who comes to believe in miracles. The two children give appropriately low-key performances, and Christopher

Lloyd is delightful as always, in the role of head angel, Al.

The movie is funny, has some interesting special effects and

canon angles, and will appeal to just about any age. There is no sex or violence and no significant amount of objectionable language. (103 minutes, PG.)

BASEBALL IS FOR KIDS: If you believe that real baseball is played on neighborhood lots and with wildly assorted kids taking the field, then "The Sandlot" is the movie for you.

In this movie, the new kid on the block is invited to play on the neighborhood baseball team. The only hitch in the games comes from a monster of a dog in the yard who ate all the fly balls land.

The movie is fun and holds interest for all kids for whom the neighborhood dog has attained the status of mythical beast. Unfortunately, the movie has some crude language. It is the type of language that

moviemakers are convinced comes out of the mouths of babes, but that most people don't tolerate from their children. If that doesn't bother you, the movie is fine. (90 minutes, PG rating.)

EVERY BASEBALL FAN'S DREAM: A 12-year-old baseball nut inherits the Minnesota Twins from his grandfather and appoints himself manager of the team in "Little Big League." Of course, he leads the team to victory and wins the respect of all the burly baseball players. The movie offers no surprises, but is an enjoyable story and features performances by several real baseball players that true fans will enjoy.

However, the movie isn't as good as it could have been. There is a suggestive, gratuitous scene where the boy rents an X-rated video while on the road with the team. There is also plenty of crude locker room language. (120 minutes, PG rating.)

EQUAL RIGHTS: During World War II when the men were overseas fighting, women played professional baseball, too. This very brief story is portrayed in "A League of Their Own."

The movie offers a star-powered cast and an interesting look at the status of women 50 years ago. Widespread references to alcohol abuse and some crude language make the movie unsuitable for younger kids. (128 minutes, PG rating.)

Jane Cosby is a former teacher and the mother of two.

Do you have a little-known favorite family film? Send the name, director and the year it was made with your name and telephone number to: Family Theater, Suburban Journals, 1714 S. Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

Paying Social Security taxes mandatory

IRS during the worker's first two tax years as a minister.

Members of certain religious sects (primarily Amish and Mennonites) may also be exempted from paying Social Security taxes because of their religious beliefs. To be eligible for an exemption, the religious group must have existed since 1960, must have beliefs that reference to alcohol abuse and must make provisions for the care of its dependent members.

Members of affected religious groups may apply for this exemption by filing Form 4029 with the Social Security Administration. By filing Form 4029, the applicant waives all rights to future Social Security benefits.

Q. I'm turning 65 on April 20. When will my Medicare coverage start? Do I need other insurance to supplement Medicare? What insurance is the best?

A. Anyone turning age 65 in April has Medicare coverage April 1 (no fooling). Medicare has many deductibles and co-payments which means you should either plan on paying some expenses out-of-pocket or purchase supplemental insurance.

Every state has an insurance counseling office that is funded by Medicare. Your state's office can help you look for a supplemental plan and give you other advice about health insurance. For example, you can find out the advantages and disadvantages of joining a health maintenance organization.

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All shows start around 9:30 p.m. with a \$3-4 cover.
Geyer Street Shirts (rag & blues), April 28 & May 19.
Reggie At Will (reggae), April 29 and May 6.
Yard Squad (reggae), May 5.
Maurice City Players (reggae), May 12.
Jake's Leg (dead-head rock), May 13.

Boat House

212 N. Main, St. Charles 940-9253
Mark Gordon with Farrell, April 29 and May 6.
Boomers (on The Landing)
707 Clomonsville April 21-25
Drowning Fish, 9:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m. April 26.

Brandt's Market & Cafe

6252 Delmar 727-3663
Todd Mosby Group, April 23.

Brewsky's

1792 N. New Holland Rd. 837-0553
Beno, April 26 & 27.
Random Access, April 28 & 29.
Reckless, May 6.
Old Kids on the Hill, May 7.

Broadway Oyster Bar

736 S. Broadway 621-8811
Joe Bidwell and Blake Travis, April 25.

Casa Loma Ballroom

3354 Iowa 664-8000
Bob Constantine, April 27.
Alley Kats, April 28.
Latin Extravaganza with El Caribe Tropical & Solucion Latina, April 29.
Route 66 - The Big Band Sound, April 30.

Casino St. Charles

Riverfront Station, St. Charles 947-3323
Galaxy, at the dockside casino, 8:30 - 11:45 p.m. April 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 & 29.
Rose Tattoo featuring Bethany McClinton, John Westermarck and Kim Diamond, at the entertainment center, 6:30 - 11:15 p.m. April 28 & 29.

Cave Springs Lanes

4050 Mexico Rd. 441-1774
Reckless, April 28.
Random Access, April 29.
Short Fuse, May 5 & 6.

Chris' Pub

1833 Dunn Rd. 837-5491
Zoe Ann & Larry, 8 p.m. April 25 and May 2.
Joy Kushia, 8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m. April 28 & 29 and May 5, 6, 12 & 13.

C.J. Mugg's Bar & Grill

181 W. Lockwood 963-1976
Fanfare - Kittle Moller, April 29.

Crehan's

6401 W. Main, Belleville, Ill. (618) 397-7930
Soul Reunion, 5 p.m. April 23. Phyllis Criss Benefit.

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Mark Gordon, 9 p.m. April 26. \$3 cover.

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The Dock Rockers

12653 Olive Blvd. 542-9080
Patti & The Hitmen, 8 p.m. to midnight May 13 & 20.

Dogtown Bar & Grill

108 Meramec Valley Plaza 861-1777
Killer Wallys, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. April 27.

Duffy's Irish Pub - Henry VIII Hotel

4690 N. Lindberg Blvd. 731-3040
Mitzel MacDonald, 7-11 p.m. April 25 & 26.
Dawn Turlington, 7-11 p.m. April 27, 28 & 29.

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3533 Dunn 837-0835
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Brad's Head, May 7 & 8.
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3756 S. Broadway 664-6221
Patti & The Hitmen, 8 p.m. to midnight April 27.

Fast Eddie's Bon Air

1540 E. 4th, Alton, Ill. (618) 462-5332
Jam Sessions featuring Stonebraker, April 27.

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8158 Big Bend 961-6881
The Graces, old-time string band and clog dancers, May 6. Tickets are \$10.
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6650 Mexico Road, St. Peters 278-1334
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Generations Night Club

10709 Watson 821-6600
Mirage, 8 p.m. to midnight April 25.

Graham Chapel

6445 Forsyth Blvd. at Washington University
New Music Clinic presents pianist Roger Muraro. Muraro will perform the music of Olivier Messiaen in a free concert at 7:30 p.m. May 2.

Helen Fitzgerald's

3640 S. Lindberg 984-0026
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Patti & The Hitmen, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. May 5 & 6.

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Big Daddy's Blues Band, 8 p.m. to midnight April 27.
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Nancy Marand & Trio, 9 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. April 26, 27, 28 & 29.

Renet, Renet's Quartet, 9 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. May 3, 4, 5 & 6.

Al C. Sextet, 9 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. May 10, 11, 12 & 13.

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Southside Wally & Greg Lawrence, April 28.

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612 N. 2nd St. 421-3656
Cover for City Jams is \$3 from 9:30 p.m. to midnight. \$2 after midnight and \$1 to musicians all night.
New World Strings, 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m. April 23. \$3 cover after 9:30 p.m.
Original Music Showcase, All ages 9-11 p.m.; over 21 from midnight to 2:30 a.m. April 24. \$3 cover after 8:30 p.m.
Devon Allman and Randy Cash host, May 10, 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m. April 25.

Long Shot Saloon

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Cindy Burnett hosts Kennedy's Unplugged, 7-11 p.m. April 26. No cover.

Power and Fear, midnight to 2:30 a.m. April 26. No cover.

Tangerine Dream, acoustic dinner show, 7-8:30 p.m. April 27.

Almost Joshua, 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m. April 27. \$3 cover after 9:30 p.m.

Water Left Frog, acoustic dinner show, 7-8:30 p.m. April 28.

Yellow Afternoon, 10 p.m., Nine Killer, 11 p.m., and Rainbow, 12:30 - 2:30 a.m. April 28.

Maplehurst, acoustic dinner show, 7-8:30 p.m. April 29.

L.O.V.E., midnight to 2:30 a.m. April 29. \$3 cover after 9:30 p.m.

Admitted Lamps, All Ages Matinee from 2-5 p.m. April 30. \$5 cover for those under 21.

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Bryan Hoskins, acoustic dinner show, 7-8:30 p.m. April 30.

Villa Nova Junction, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. April 30. No cover.

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Jimmy Page and Robert Plant, 8 p.m. May 6. Reserved tickets \$40 & \$25.

Kiener Plaza, Gateway Mall

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Patti & The Hitmen, 4:30 - 7:30 p.m. April 26.

K.T.'s Smokehouse

4574 Telegraph 892-7788
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Soul Reunion, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. April 29.

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Wade Hayes, May 2. Slickerbylly opens. Tickets are \$6 for gold circle and \$3 for general admission.

The Loading Dock

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Patti & The Hitmen, 3-7 p.m. May 21.

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Lutheran Convalescent Home

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Webster University Choral Society, Chorale and Choral Club will perform a free program of choral music at 7:30 p.m. April 30 in the Chapel.

Mike & Min's Restaurant

925 Geyer 421-1655
Twilight Jump, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. May 10.

Roland Clark & The Sound Exchange, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. May 12.

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914 N. 1st 421-3853
Seasoliel with Michael Doucet, April 23.

Doors open at 7 p.m., concert starts at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$12 in advance, \$14 day of show.

Reverend Horton Heat with Wax, April 26.

Doors open at 7:30 p.m., concert starts at 8:30 p.m. Tickets are \$10 flat.

Wilco with guns, April 28. Doors open at 8 p.m., concert starts at 9 p.m. Tickets are \$10 in advance, \$12 day of show.

Slack's Snakepit with guest, May 1. Doors open at 7:30 p.m., concert starts at 8:30 p.m. Tickets are \$15 in advance, \$10 day of show.

The Band, May 8. Doors open at 8 p.m., show starts at 9 p.m. Tickets are \$16 in advance, and \$18 day of show. This is a rescheduled show from April 22. Tickets sold for the April 22 show will be honored at the new concert. If refunds are needed, they can be made at point of purchase.

Leftover Salmon with guests Mott Hips, 10:15 p.m. May 12. Tickets are \$5.

Moe's Place

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Honeywell/Asaro Band, 7-11 p.m. April 23. \$2 cover.

Jam Session with Stonebraker April 25. Westwood, April 28 & 29.

Molly's

816 Geyer 436-0921
Joe Bidwell Trio, April 26.

Riverport Amphitheatre

14141 Riverport Dr. 298-9944 (Hotline 968-1000)

Alabama with special guest Neal McCoy, 8 p.m. May 6. Reserved seats are \$25.50 and the country lawn pack.

Lynyrd Skynyrd with special guests TESLA and Bloodline, 7:30 p.m. May 12. Reserved seats are \$21.50. Lawn tickets are \$19.50. But through April 8 reserved seats and lawn tickets are \$15.50.

Little Texas and Tim McGraw will special guest Blackhawk, 7:30 p.m. May 19. Reserved seats are \$23 and \$21. Lawn tickets are \$12.50. This is part of the country lawn pack.

Boston with original members Tom Scholz and Brad Delson, 8 p.m. May 20. Reserved seats are \$25 and \$20. Lawn tickets are \$12.50.

Ted Nugent/Rad Company, 7 p.m. May 21. Reserved seats are \$20. Lawn tickets are \$17.50.

Polifone 2 featuring Adam Ant, Blues Traveler, Bush, Collective Soul, Faith No More and Toad the Wet Sprocket, 3 p.m. May 26. Reserved seats are \$15.50. Lawn tickets are \$13.50.

Tom Petty, 8 p.m. June 2. Reserved seats are \$30 and \$27. Lawn tickets are \$20.

REO Speedwagon with Cheap Trick and Starship with Mickey Thomas at 7:30 p.m. June 9. Reserved seats and lawn tickets are \$14.50 through April 29.

60s Summer Spectacular featuring Tommy James, The Turtles with Flo & Eddie, Gary Puckett and Mark Lindsay, 7:30 p.m. June 10. Reserved seats are \$9.50. Lawn tickets are \$7.50.

Van Halen, 8 p.m. June 15. Reserved seats are \$39 and \$30. Lawn tickets are \$22.50.

Beach Boys, 8 p.m. June 17. Reserved seats are \$25 and \$20. Lawn tickets are \$15.

Reggie Saragossa, 7 p.m. June 28. Reserved seats are \$20.50 and \$12.50. Lawn tickets are \$10.50.

Sandi Fatty with the Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra, 8 p.m. July 8. Reserved seats are \$25 and \$20. Lawn tickets are \$12.50.

Van Halen, 8 p.m. July 22 & 23. Reserved seats are \$35 and \$30. Lawn tickets are \$24.50.

Roby Keith and Bobbi Alkins, 8 p.m. July 29. Reserved seats are \$29.50. Lawn tickets are \$21.50.

Chicago with special guest Little River Band, 8 p.m. Aug. 25. Reserved seats are \$27.50 and \$22.50. Lawn tickets are \$17.50.

Calling All Bands

The Journal wants to print your band's concert dates in The Concert Scene. Tell us where you'll be playing, along with the address and phone number of the venue, the date, the time, the cover charge, and send us a picture, too (no color photocopies please). If address and phone number for the venue are omitted, your listing will not be published. Send your listing to:

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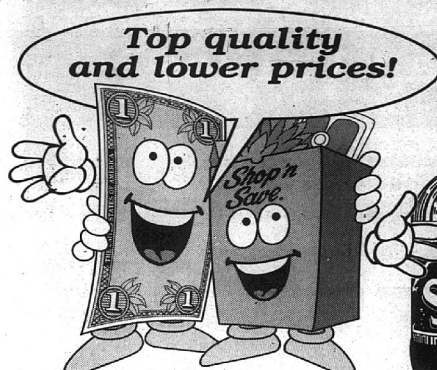
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COCA-COLA Coke Classic12/12 oz. cans	2.77	2.99	2.99	4.19
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S.O.S. Steel Wool Pads4 ct.	.49	.69	.69	.69
COMET Cleanser14 oz.	.29	.59	.59	.39

MEAT/PRODUCE	Shop 'n Save	DIERBERGS	SCHNUCKS	NATIONAL
HUNTER Bacon1 lb.	1.69	2.39	2.39	2.39
HUNTER All Meat Wieners12 oz.	.79	1.29	1.29	1.29
FARMLAND Bacon1 lb.	1.79	2.39	2.59	2.59
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FRESH Green Beansper lb.	.58	.99	.99	.98
LARGE Green Peppersct.	.33	.79	.50	.69

DAIRY/FROZEN FOOD	Shop 'n Save	DIERBERGS	SCHNUCKS	NATIONAL
KRAFT PHILADELPHIA FAT FREE Cream Cheese8 oz.	.99	1.39	1.39	1.39
KRAFT 24-SLICES American Singles16 oz.	2.99	3.77	3.79	3.89
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RETAIL SPACE for lease prime location. 4500 sq. ft. 345-0865. High traffic.

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AFFORDABLE 1 bedroom

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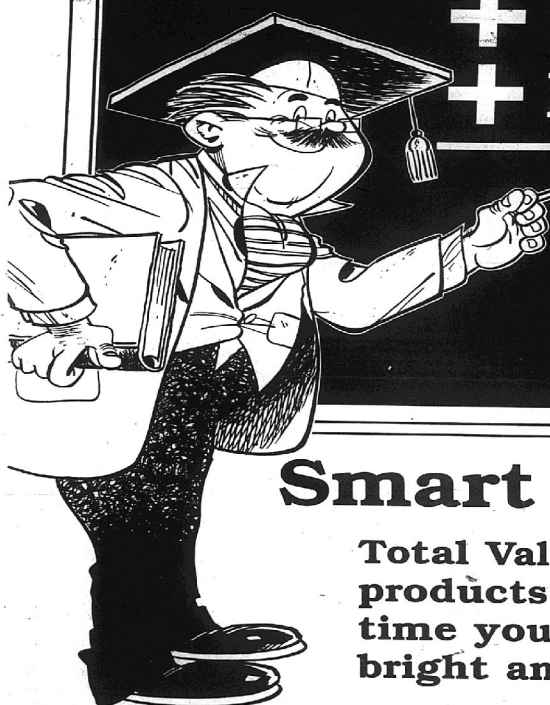
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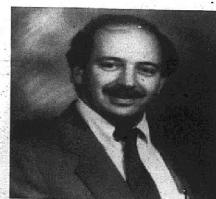
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